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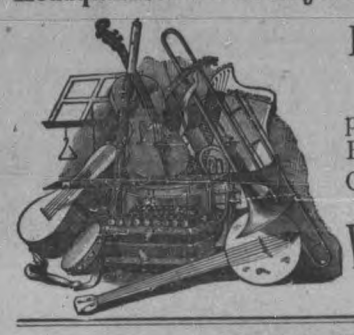
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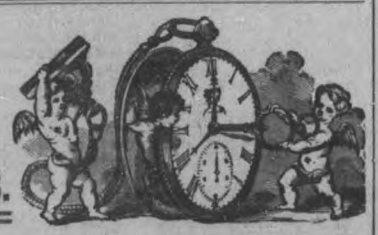
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JAY GOULD IS NO MORE.

The Real Napoleon of Finance Goes to His Final Account This Morning.

Master of Untold Millions, the Question Arises, Who Can Keep Them Together?

Sketch of the Marvellous Career of the Delaware County Farmer's Boy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—At 9 o'clock this morning the window shades of the Gould mansion on Fifth avenue were all drawn, which was taken as a sign that the great financier had passed away. Two servants subsequently informed a reporter of the United Press that this was the case. Dow, Jones & Co's news bureau says:

"We understand that Mr. Gould has trusted the bulk of his property during the life of his children. The three special stocks trusted are, the Western Union, the Manhattan and Missouri Pacific, and now it is learned at the time of the lowering of the shades at the Gould mansion he is in the last throes of death, and that his death did not actually take place until 9:15, shortly after that time the undertaker put in an appearance at the side door of the Gould residence. Mr. Gould, it is said, died of pulmonary consumption. The family have given no official statement beyond confirming the report of his death.

Jay Gould was born in 1836 in Roxbury, Delaware county, New York, and spent his early years on his father's farm. At the age of 14 he entered Hobart academy and kept the books of the village blacksmith. At school he showed a fondness for mathematical study, which took a practical turn in the direction of surveying. By work of this kind, the compilation of county maps, etc., he accumulated a capital of $5000, and then increased his store by publishing a history of Delaware county, N.Y., on the "write up" plan. His next enterprise was a sawmill, blacksmith shop and tannery business which he commenced in partnership with Zadock Pratty in western New York, and which he afterwards carried on alone, finally selling it out in 1857, just before the great financial panic. Then he became the largest stockholder and a director in the Stroudsburg, Pa., bank. After the panic had subsided he turned his attention completely to railroad financiering, first buying up the bonds of the Rutland & Washington railway at ten cents on the dollar. For a long time he was president, treasurer and general superintendent of this road. In 1859 he secured its consolidation with the Rensselaer & Saratoga railway, and with the proceeds of the "deal" he set himself up in business as a broker in New York, at the same time purchasing a large block of Erie railway stock. It was in connection with the Erie that Mr. Gould gained a large proportion of his wealth and also secured for himself a reputation as a financier of great ability and very small scruples. He first became a director and then president of the company, retiring from that office in 1872. The scheme which he and Fiske engineered in connection with Erie stock was to all intents and purposes one of theft, by which they victimized many of the stock and bondholders of the road. Fiske was killed by Stokes, and Gould afterwards went on his "wrecking" course alone. He bought up with his ill-gotten gains large blocks of stock of the Union Pacific, Wabash, Texas Pacific, Missouri Pacific and other southwestern roads. He also invested largely in the stock of the Atlantic and Pacific telegraph line, and on its being merged with the Western Union he organized the American Union company in 1879. This was afterwards amalgamated with the Western Union Telegraph Company, of which Mr. Gould secured control. In December, 1880, official records showed that he was in control of 10,000 miles of railroad, or one-ninth of the entire railway mileage of the country. In March, 1882, some doubt having been cast on his financial standing, he summoned several members of the New York stock exchange to his private office and spread before them certificates of stocks having a face value of $53 000,000, and offered to produce $20,000,000 if they desired. In 1887 he purchased a controlling interest in the St. Louis & San Francisco Railway and became part owner of the Atlantic & Pacific line. He was also interested in the Southern Pacific. It is estimated that he had gained control of all of 15,000 miles of railway, besides having a [illegible] interest in the Western Union Telegraph company. The amount of his wealth was of course largely problematical, since it depended on the value of his securities, and that was fluctuating. Of late years "the bears" on the New York exchange have been in the habit of using reports of Mr. Gould's serious illness as a means of breaking stock prices, and there is no doubt his death will create a disturbance in financial and stock broking circles.

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WESTMINSTER WIRINGS.

Revenue Collections—Miss Howison in Trouble—A Postponed Battle.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 2.—The customs returns last month, imports on dutiable goods, $26,464. Free, $7469. Total imports, $33,933. Duty collected, $8,673.35. Other revenues, $143.72. Total collections, $8817.07. Total exports, $202,983.

A change of venue has been granted to the Nanaimo assizes in the Rivers Inlet murder.

In connection with the Sons of England, the Society of the Daughters of England was organized last night, with a membership of 25.

Miss Janet Howison, who lectured here on Wednesday evening on Robert Burns, reports that a valuable gold watch was stolen from her jacket at St. Leonard's Hall. The police place little credence in the report.

The fight to a finish between two young "bloods" did not come off last night. Both were afraid of being locked up.

JUMPED TO DEATH.

Panic at a Fire in a Tenement House in Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Fire broke out in the tenement house at 319 Flushing avenue, Brooklyn, at one this morning. A panic ensued among the inmates and three men jumped from the third floor into the street. Michael Doyle, forty years old, and another man, were fatally injured by the fall and died almost immediately. It is believed that the fire was due to the carelessness of a homeless man who had been in the habit of sleeping in the cellar of the house. Doyle attempted to save the lives of his wife and children, and tossed two of the little ones from one of the windows of his aparment. Both were badly hurt. His wife and the rest of the children were rescued by the firemen. The fire was under control before 1:40. The ambulance surgeons then reported that Doyle and his daughter Nellie were dead, but that the injuries of the other victims were not fatal. James Murray, his wife and six children, who had lived on the third floor, were badly burned in making their escape and were taken to the hospital. Amos Grimes and his family, consisting of two children and their crippled grandmother, owe their lives to the brave efforts of the firemen, who rescued them in the nick of time. All are suffering from bad burns.

Supposed Ocean Steamer Wreck.

DUNDEE, Dec. 2.—A severe gale has been prevailing over Scotland since Sunday, and heavy snow storms are reported in the far north, accompanied by thunder and lightning. A quantity of wreckage drifted ashore at Ullapool and other places of the west coast. Among the wreckage are a number of bottles bearing the addresses of New York and German houses. It is judged from the wreckage that a large steamer bound from a German port for New York has been lost.

Brass fenders and firesets at McLennan & McFeely's.

THE PREMIER'S NICE TASK.

The Difficulty of Appointing the Ontario Seats in the Cabinet.

Carling Objects to Being Shunted—Premier Deboucherville Resigns.

The Composition of the New Cabinet According to the Latest Reports.

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—It was Quebec's day yesterday in the Cabinet main, and to-day it is Ontario's. A large number of members from both provinces are in the city. Lord Stanley is not expected to return till to-morrow night, and it will be Monday before Thompson lays the list of his members before him, after which they will be sworn in. The Cabinet slate to-day stood something like this, subject to correction:—

Premier and Minister of Justice, Sir John Thompson; President of the Council, W. B. Ives; Minister of Railways, Haggart; Trade and Commerce, Foster; Agriculture, Costigan; Secretary of State, Patterson; Interior, Daly, Postmaster-General, Carou; Finance, Bowell; Marine and Fisheries, Tupper; Militia, Lieutenant-Governor Angers; Public Works, Ouimet. Clark Wallace has got one of the two comptrollerships, that of Inland Revenue, and the other will go to either Dr. Montague, Col. Tisdale or Wood. Curran will be Solicitor-General. This will lose one minister to Ontario, but it will get both comptrollers, which Thompson thinks is sufficient. That will not likely satisfy the Tories of the province. Carling's friends are very much dissatisfied. He will not remain in the House, and the city of London seat will be lost to the Conservatives.

A telegram received here says Premier DeBoucherville, of Quebec, has resigned. This is because Chapleau goes to Quebec as Lieutenant-Governor. Taillon will be asked to form a Government.

A SHOCKING AFFAIR.

La Union, Central America, Compelled to Shake by an Earthquake.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The earthquake which was reported as having nearly destroyed the town of La Union on the Gulf of Fosica on Oct. 18th has been confirmed by advices received by the steamer City of Panama, which stopped at La Union two days after the "shake up." There was no loss of life, although over half the houses in the place were shaken down in one night. A cathedral with a tower was knocked into a pile of stone, and a dozen people had hair breadth escapes. Only ten people were in any way injured by the falling houses and they suffered only broken arms and legs and painful bruises. The ground at La Union was still quaking when the City of Panama left. The inhabitants are living in tents.

The town of La Union, with its 5000 inhabitants, nearly all of whom were asleep, were suddenly awakened by a heavy earthquake shock that caused many old buildings to tumble down. Hundreds ran out of their houses while others less fortunate crawled out of the ruins of their former homes. There was not a single house or building in town that was not more or less cracked, while the old houses with their heavy tile roofs went down as if built of cards. The people with one accord took to the streets, which probably accounts for there being no loss of life, for when the second shock came men, women and children were hurrying towards the sea shore. It was a period of great anxiety. Five shocks occurred during the night, and the frightened people did not know at what minute the ground would open and swallow them up.

The crash of falling buildings was heard all night, and the more superstitious among the people fell on their knees and cried and prayed. When morning dawned the town of La Union was in ruins. Many newly-built houses remained standing, but the walls had great cracks in them.

Canadian Antiquities.

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—A committee of the Mumismatic and Antiquarian Society are negotiating with the Canada commissioners for sufficient space in the Columbian exhibition to show a similar exhibit to that which attracted so much attention at our last provincial exhibition. But it would be a Canadian historical exhibition rather than one commemorative of the foundation of Montreal. The committee have promises of objects of greater interest in the history of the country than have ever been exposed to the public view. It is to be hoped the commissioners will be able to comply with the committee's demand for space.

Energetic Colonisers.

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—About 150 families moved from Michigan into Manitoba and the Northwest Territories during the past summer as a result of the immigration campaign carried on in that state by Captain A. F. Holmes and M. V. McInnes. Both are now in this city on business with the Interior Department. Captain Holmes says the indications are that Michigan will send 500 or 600 families into the Northwest next year, as excellent reports have been made by those who have already taken up land on the Canadian prairies.

Train Wrecker Arrested.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 2.—A man who gave the name of Frank R. Warner, aged 35, has been arrested, charged with wrecking the Santa Fe overland train, near Azon on Monday night, and is now in jail. Warner has confessed his guilt and says he tried to wreck the train out of revenge for having been put off while stealing a ride. It is thought that others are implicated, but to-day the detectives gave up the idea of making any further arrests.

Gold in Quebec.

QUEBEC, Dec. 2.—A gold mining boom appears to be spreading up the Chaudiere region of Beauce. About six weeks ago $13,000 was paid by some Americans for a small block of land in Gilbert, and now it is said that a wealthy New York syndicate has invested a very heavy sum in purchases in the same district.

Lord Stanley in Toronto.

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Several hundred citizens paid their respects to Governor-General and Lady Stanley at Government House yesterday afternoon. Both the Governor-General and the Lieut.-Governor, with Lady Stanley and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, were present at the great ball of the St. Andrew's Society in the evening.

VANCOUVER VERITIES.

Premier Davie Arrives—The Coal Campaign Still Brisk.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2. — Theodore Davie arrived last night from Ottawa. He states that quarantine will be moved from Albert Head to William's Head and made thoroughly efficient. One supreme court judge will visit Vancouver weekly, so that writs can be taken out here, and Judge Bole will be given the powers of a local Supreme Court, also judges in both New Westminster and Vancouver.

Sam Greer's sentence will likely be commuted.

Whatcom coal sells at $5.05, and orders were received yesterday for all that can be delivered in a fortnight. Rosenfell & Co.'s scow, going to get a supply at Chandler's mine, Wellington, lost the scow and load on the way across. A considerable quantity of coal is now under way from Whatcom.

J. W. Haskins, of Revelstoke, is here trying to work up a company to build an electric tramway from Upper Arrow Lake to Trout Lake, to bring out ores from Lardeau.

New Westminster and Vancouver teams play Rugby here to-morrow afternoon.

Charges that Inspector Huntley was keeping a man employed as assistant while paying him as a guard at the smallpox quarantine, was investigated this morning, and it is understood the charges were partially sustained.

BRIGHTER COAL PROSPECTS.

Better Times Hoped For at the Mines—Nanaimo Business Changes.

NANAIMO, Dec. 2.—The foreign shipments of coal from this port for the past month have not been so large as expected, but the outlook for the present month is brighter. The New V. C. Co. shipped 26,665 tons; Wellington 16,638, and East Wellington 3308. The latter shows an increase of 300 tons over the previous month.

The customs returns for the past month were as follows:—

Duty collected	$3,606 37
Sick M. dues	321 48
Miscellaneous	77 51
Total	$4,005 36
Goods imported free	$ 1,806 00
" " dutiable	12,269 00
Direct imports	684 00
Free (ex warehouse)	463 00
Dutiable "	584 00
Total	$15,255 00

There have been a few business changes in the city during the past few days. Messrs. Leask and Wilson have taken over the bakery business of Evan Bros. Mabrer and Wolfe have dissolved partnership, the former will run the business in future.

The total number of children attending the Nanaimo schools during the past month shows a daily average of 441.48. The report says the children are in healthy condition. During the present week the scholars have been working hard at their Christmas examinations.

The Caledonian Society honored St. Andrew's Day by a grand supper in the Palace Hotel on Wednesday night; a brilliant affair.

During the week there have been two slight accidents in the mines. J. K. Gilbert was injured in Protection Island shaft on Tuesday and George Malcolm in No. 5 pit yesterday.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

F. C. Davidge is back from Vancouver.

R. Nightingale of Nanaimo is in the city.

J. Edwards of Chilliwhack is at the Oriental.

H. Barnard is going to San Francisco on a business trip.

Mrs. S. P. W. Whitelaw leaves for California on Sunday.

Frank M. Cryderman is suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Mr. E. J. Palmer, manager of the Chemainus mill, is in the city.

H. E. Connan is in Vancouver on a business trip. He will probably return to-night.

Senator McInnes and Mrs. McInnes returned last evening from a trip to New Westminster.

W. H. Bogardus of Seattle, who was spending a few days in the city returned home last night.

Mrs. W. J. Quinlan, who has been visiting friends at Port Angeles, returned home last evening.

"Are there many men unemployed in this city?"

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CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire From All Parts of the Dominion.

Dr. Bourbonnais, brother of the local member for Soulanges, will represent the Liberals in the coming Federal election for that county.

Hon. Mr. Mercier has received invitations from Ontario to take part in the annexation movement, but he favors the independance of Canada.

William Carey, bandmaster of the 14th battalion of Kingston for the past twelve years, died Wednesday. He was born in Portsmouth, England, and was 61 years old.

Two fresh cases of smallpox have developed in the house in Toronto from which a young Englishman was removed a week ago, and the patients have been removed to the smallpox hospital.

The building in Trenton occupied by C. B. Saylor, grocer, and Mrs. Rowe and her daughter, Mrs. Wessels, was gutted by fire last night. Mrs. Rowe has died and Mrs. Wessels' condition is precarious.

The latest big loss of cattle in mid-ocean occurred on the steamship Alcides, from Montreal to Glasgow. A cable received in Montreal states that owing to stress of weather the ship lost 24 out of 59 head of cattle.

A pleasant event in connection with the twentieth anniversary of the Winnipeg Free Press newspaper Thursday night was the presentation by the employees of the paper to Mr. Luxton, editor-in-chief, of a handsome fur coat valued at $250.

As soon as Sir John Thompson has completed the organization of his cabinet he will visit Toronto and Montreal, where he will hold meetings and announce his policy to the people. He will appoint Mr. Justice Strong Chief Justice of the Supreme Court next week on the return of Lord Stanley from Toronto.

A meeting, for reorganization purposes, of political unionists was held in Toronto Wednesday night. There were 25 annexationists on hand. A number of visitors came in who were evidently their strong opponents, and they shouted "God Save the Queen!" so loudly that the political unionists could do nothing. There was a row for a time, but the annexationists waited till their opponents left and then formed a ward association.

A Toronto Telegram cable from London, dated Nov. 30th, says: "This morning's Daily Chronicle editorially says it is regrettable that Justine McCarthy's ill-health will, in all probability, result in his being compelled to relinquish the Irish Nationalist leadership. The editorial suggests that Hon. Edward Blake, who, like Parnell, is a Protestant, might advantageously be raised to the leadership. Mr. Blake is, it is claimed, easily the best man in the Irish ranks at present available.

The Gale at 'Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—The Ferrace swimming baths at Alameda were damaged to the extent of $5000 by yesterday's gale. Word comes from West Berkley this morning that only two Italian fishermen and not seven, as reported yesterday, were drowned during the storm. A boat containing Augustine Falkinia and Lugui Morrises was capsized and both men were drowned. There were two other fishing smacks near and one of them contained four men, which also capsized. The men were picked up by a third boat.

Atlantic Liners for Canada.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Some of the papers build great expectations on the new Canadian steamship service. The Leeds Mercury says that 36 hours of sea voyage can be saved in the route between Halifax and England compared with the New York route. The Mercury advises the adoption of Milford Haven as the English port of the line, and says that the new service would be an immense agency in promoting Imperial Federation, and in course of time would wrest the supremacy of the Atlantic from New York.

Shot by a Burglar.

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 1.—Fred. Gartner was shot by a burglar this morning. He was awakened by a noise and went out with a gun. The burglar retreated till he got into a corner between two buildings and then fired. His revolver bullet struck Gartner on the jaw. Gartner replied with the two barrels of his gun, and it is thought wounded the burglar, who bolted over the fence and escaped. Gartner's wound is serious.

A Trunk Full of Opium.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—The customs officers made a seizure of a trunk full of opium at the ferry this morning. The opium came originally from Victoria, and was shipped to Eastern cities and back again, its ultimate destination being San Francisco. It reached here all right, was landed and taken off the Oakland depot by an express. An officer made the expressman drive his treasure to the appraiser's store, when the interesting discovery took place.

One for Single Tax.

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—The Single Tax Association has prevailed upon the city executive to submit the question of abolition or reduction of taxation on buildings and other improvements to the electors in January.

Moltke's Right Hand Man.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—General Opperman, who has the reputation of being the actual planner of the siege of Paris, died at Hanover on Tuesday.

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Smallpox in England.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Smallpox is extending widely throughout England. In general it is moving slowly, though in some places it has spread with such rapidity as to alarm the authorities. The residents of Warrington are so wrought up on the subject of vaccination that the doctors are working day and night inoculating them. The disease has broken out in serious form at Manchester, Liverpool, St. Helen's, Wigan, Salfork, Oldham, Halifax, Rotherham, Barnsley and Bradford. The most serious outbreak has been at Leeds, where all the available space is occupied, and many are being cared for in private houses. In Leicester, where considerable opposition was made to the compulsory vaccination law, it is amusing to see the frequency with which those who were shrieking most loudly against it are rushing to the inoculation office the moment that there is any immediate danger of contagion. The report is that the disease is abating in London.

HARRISON'S ILL-FATED PAPER.

The Helena Journal Goes Down With a Big Crash.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 2.—Russell B. Harrison's newspaper, the Helena Journal, which was attached by one of its numerous creditors soon after midnight on election day, when President Harrison's defeat became known, was sold to-day by sheriff's sale. The paper suspended publication the morning after election and has not resumed. The creditors who made the first move were the Montana National Bank, which had advanced the Journal $26,000. The Merchants' National and the First National filed claims for similar amounts and the total indebtedness here and in the east is over $100,000. The paper has been a losing venture from the start. There was no field for it and it had strong and firmly-intrenched rivals. The property was sold for $21,000 to L. H. Hirschfield, a banker, who is one of the creditors and an intimate friend of Harrison. Hirschfield says he will soon start the paper again and that Harrison will have an interest in it. The Montana National Bank, after Hirchfield paid in the money to day, filed a claim for an additional $9000, for which it holds Harrison's note. It looks as though there would be further legal complications.

Uncle Sam's Navy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The navy department, profiting by the experience of the late revolution in Venezuela, has determined not to be caught napping again when a merchant's interest are in peril in this country. Upon the advice of the state department a naval station will be kept in the West Indies, along the northern coast of South America, as it was a source of deep mortification to the department authorities to be dependent upon foreign warships to look out for our interests during the late war in Venezuela. Not to be too severe on the men who are rarely allowed liberty in the Southern parts, it has been decided to change the vessels on that station. The Kearsarge, now at La Guayra, will be relieved by the Atlanta. The men of the Kearsarge have not had liberty since she reached the coast of Venezuela on her return from Trinidad, and it is to give them an airing on home shores, and at the same time prepare for the winter's cruise of this vessel, that she has been ordered to the Norfolk navy yard. She will not leave Venezuela waters, however, until relieved by the Atlanta, which is now en route to the Norfolk navy yard from New York to take on supplies before sailing south.

Had a Female Accomplice.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Joseph Mellor, who was sentenced to death by a Manchester court yesterday for having murdered his wife in September, has written a letter to the effect that Lizzie Sutherland, an unmarried woman, plotted the murder with him, in order that he might be free to marry her. Miss Sutherland says, however, that she did not even know that he was married. She says that she taxed him with living with a woman, and he replied that he knew he had been wild and had lived with a woman, but he never would do it again. They had made no preparation for marriage. "Although," says Miss Sutherland, "I should have married him had everything gone all right. He told me he was going to settle down, and I told him he would have to do so if he intended to have me. He never told me he had lived with this woman and I did not think he had. Many people told me that he was a married man, but as many told me differently, and I should be all right in going with him. He has never given me money or anything." Despite this statement, the Sutherland girl is under surveillance and Mellor's statement will be investigated.

Unprotected Wealth.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Attorney Isaac E. Adams claims that the vault in his office in the Home Insurance building has been robbed of a box of bonds, stocks and $10,000 in cash, amounting in all to $350,000. Mr. Adams' office is on the top floor of the building and is occupied by himself, W. A. Hamilton, an attorney, three clerks and a woman stenographer. For the past three months Mr. Adams has been confined to his home with typhoid fever. When he came to his office last Wednesday he discovered his loss. The clerks in the office declare that Mr. Adams was the only one who ever touched the box, and that during his absence no thought was given it.

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Mons. Taine, the Great French Litterateur, Seriously Ill at His Parisian Home.

PARIS, Dec. 2.—M. Hyppolite Taine, the noted author and member of the French academy, is dangerously ill in this city. M. Taine is the author of the most delightful, and perhaps the most exhaustive work upon English literature extant, and by it he is most favorably known to the English-speaking world. He is a philologist of profound research, and, with Professor Max Muller and Professor Peile, has cast a flood of light upon this somewhat recondite field of learning. M. Taine's pet fad is cats. He loves pussy to almost a ridiculous degree, and when writing or reading in his study always fondles one of his pets with his disengaged hand, or has one perched upon his shoulders. He wraps them up in rugs and talks to them as though they were children. His amiability is proverbial in the gay capital, and almost rivals that of the sweet-tempered La Fontaine among his contemporaries. By his confreres of the Academy he is looked upon with pride for his vast learning and with love for his many amiable qualities.

Germany, Austria, Italy.

PARIS, Dec. 1.—According to what Le Journal publishes as to the text of the Triple Alliance treaty, Germany and Austria agree to aid Humbert in carrying his external and colonial policies; recognize his rights, and that Rome is to be considered the capital of Italy. Germany and Italy promise aid to the Austrian foreign policy, more especially regarding the question of the Balkans. Austria and Italy promise aid to Germany in carrying out her foreign policy, and each of the contracting parties agrees to aid the others through diplomacy and by material assistance on land and water; to keep armies on a war footing during the period of cordial understanding. The document sets forth at length how the troops of each of the parties to the alliance shall be mobilized in the event of war of any one of the countries with Russia or France. In case Germany and Austria get into trouble with Russia, they shall make a concerted attack on that country, and if France attempts to take a hand, Italy shall march against her. In case of a conflict of Germany and France, Italy shall do the same, and Austria shall keep an eye on Russia. In case of a conflict of Italy and France, Germany shall act jointly with Italy while Austria holds down the Russians. In conclusion the contracting bodies promise and swear on honor to maintain the status quo and the peace of Europe.

Labor Economics.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Professor Gould, of Johns Hopkins University, by special request will testify before the Labor commission to-morrow. In an interview to-day with the correspondent of the International Telegram Company, Prof. Gould said: "For nearly four years I have been in Europe investigating with my assistants, labor, social, trade and economic matters, on behalf of the Bureau of Labor Statistics at Washington. At the request of Prof. Marshall and Members of Parliament Courtney, Gerald and Balfour and others, I shall testify before the Royal Labor Commission before my return to the United States. The experience gathered while collecting information for use in my report shows me that as regards statistics in trade and labor matters, the Government of Great Britain is far behind that of America. I shall explain to the commission the workings of our labor system fully, as they consider that it is important, possibly with a view to the foundation of a similar department in England." Prof. Gould has devoted the past four or five months to examining the housing and domestic surroundings of the laborer in England and on the continent, also to the Scandinavian licensing system, and will make special reports on these subjects to the bureau at Washington. He will sail for Havre on the 10th and then leave for New York.

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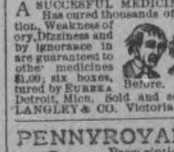

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A SCANTY ALLOWANCE.

Telegraph Operator Haughton Has a Rough Time on the West Coast.

A dispatch was received from Port San Juan yesterday morning giving details of a narrow escape that telegraph operator Ed. Haughton and a boatman had. They left Port San Juan on Thursday morning last in a small boat for Otter Point, where Mr. Haughton was to take the stage for Victoria. They took one day's provisions, and it was on this account that they suffered. Shortly after leaving San Juan they encountered a severe gale, which luckily drove them into Sombre Creek. The little boat was used pretty roughly, but with good handling she was safely beached. Then came the suffering. There was only one day's provisions and the wind continued to blow for six days. They could not get out and had to remain where they were, doing the best they could on their scanty allowance. They returned to San Juan yesterday in a rather hungry condition. A good deal of anxiety had been felt for the two young men, as it was known that they had started for Otter Point last week.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE RIFLE.

CLAUD DALY DEAD.

ALTONA, Germany, Dec. 2.—Information reached here to-day that Claud Baly, a noted rifle-shot, who had been starring Europe after a four years' engagement with the Buffalo Bill Company, had fallen a victim to cholera at Brussels. He was a brother of Lillian Daly, the actress, now in one of Frohman's companies. Daly was a fine marksman, and had received valuable testimonials from noble people in Europe. He was 27 years old. His mother resides in Philadelphia.

FOOTBALL.

A WELL KNOWN COACH.

W. B. Goodwin, coach for the Seattle football team, and one of the best known amateur athletes in the northwest, is in the city and is a guest at the Driard.

TO-MORROW AT THE HILL.

There will be an interesting game at the Hill to-morrow afternoon between the second eleven of the Victoria Association club and Corrig College. The city eleven are as follows:—Goal, Alexander; backs, Earsman, Howard; halfbacks, Lorimer, Miller, Brett; forwards, Haynes, Heap, Goward, Lawson, Punnett; reserve, Myers.

THE CUE.

SMITH DEFEATS CLAYTON.

The pool tournament at the Delmonico concluded last night. Smith with 14 start scored 100 when Clayton, scratch, had made his 59 points.

In a subsequent game for $50 aside, eleven out of twenty-one, Smith again came out winner.

THE HARRIERS.

'CROSS COUNTRY.

To-morrow afternoon at 2:30 the hare and hound club will meet for a hunt across country. The hares will receive 15 minutes' start. A good run is promised.

THE RING.

MEDALS PRESENTED.

The medals won in Prof. Foster's boxing tournament were distributed at the Bay View last evening. There was a large number present.

ATHLETICS.

APPOINTED SECRETARY.

Mr. F. P. Gouge has been appointed assistant financial secretary of the Victoria Athletic club.

COMPASS PLANTS.

Curious Kinds of Vegetation Found in Various Countries.

St. Louis Republic.]

Several different countries—America, Asia Minor, Tartary, Madagascar and Australia—have shrubs and flowers which are locally, at least, known as "compass plants." The compass plant of the United States is the common "rosin weed" of our Western prairies, which has the long leaves near the ground set in a vertical position in such a way as to always present the edges to the north and south. This peculiar propensity of the rosin weed is attributed to the fact that both the upper and lower surfaces of the leaves demand an equal share of light, something which can be said of but few known plants, the upper surfaces usually being much more sensitive to both light and heat than the lower. This demand for a share of old Sol's attention causes the leaves to stand in the manner mentioned above.

The compass plant of Asia Minor, known all along the eastern shores of the Mediterranean and as far east as Arabia and Persia, is mentioned in the Bible, where the prophet refers to "that senseless thing which is more stable than man, inasmuch as it always pointeth in the one direction." It is an annual shrub, much resembling our wild or false indigo, but with all the branches arranged along its stem on the north side. It is of the greatest value to travelers of those regions, who use it with as much assurance of being carried aright as does the seaman his mariner's compass constructed on the latest scientific principles.

The compass plant of the Tartars is not what would be called a plant in the strict sense of the word, being a low, creeping grass of no value whatever as a feed for horses and only made use of by shepherds with large herds of sheep and goats. From the time when the first stalk pushes through the ground all of its creeping propensities are exercised in one direction—to the north. Baker, Hains and Laufbarrow all tell wonderful stories of how whole armies have escaped utter extinction through some shrewd general dismounting his horse to strike his flint in order to see in what direction the little compass grass was creeping, remounting and leading off in the safest direction.

The compass plant of Madagascar is a flowering lichen, growing only on a species of fir tree, and always on the east side. Curious scientists who have transplanted this wonderful lichen in the great botanical gardens of Europe say that it changes its position to the north side of the tree as soon as it becomes acclimated.

Australia's compass plant is a double larkspurf on which two colors of flowers grow, red on the north and blue on the south. As a compass it is perfectly reliable.

HATES THE SIGHT OF MAN.

An Indiana Hermit Who Is the Best Rifle-shot in the State.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

"We've got a sure-enough hermit in Hendricks County, Ind.," said John C. Hornsby, of Indianapolis, now at the Laclede. "His name is John Moon. Everybody in Central Indiana has heard of old John Moon. He is about 75 years old and has been living in a little log hut in a lonely part of the country for more than forty years. The cabin stands in the center of a two-acre patch of ground which is surrounded by an impassable bamboo hedge.

"Old John boasts that he never rode on a railway train or wore a pair of shoes in his life. He wears the same old suit of patched jeans year after year. In summer he dons a battered plug hat of the vintage of 1812 and in winter a cap made of squirrel skins. He raises chickens, a little garden truck and shoots small game. He is reckoned the best rifle shot in Indiana. When he is in need of tobacco or a few dimes he digs 'sassafrack root,' as he calls it, and takes it to town. Once each year he tramps to Indianapolis, a distance of 20 miles, to see a circus.

"He always joins in the parade, and his old plug hat and big, bare feet attract more attention than the drove of elephants or the man-eating tiger. He came from California to Hendricks county. He was a great trapper, hunter and Indian fighter in early days out there, and his hut is filled with the skins of 'grizzlies' and other savage 'varmints' that fell before his old 'ginger bread rifle,' as the boys call it. Further than this no one knows anything of his history. He shuns the society of men and was never known to speak to a woman. The country people believe that he has thousands of dollars in gold buried beneath his cabin, the fruits of his early mining ventures and four decades of parsimony.

"When a boy I was seized with a desire to explore old John's hut and see what it contained. Another boy entered into the conspiracy with me and we watched our opportunity. One day old John sallied forth with his rifle to shoot squirrels, and we cut a hole with a hatchet in his Crusoe hedge and crawled through. The one window of the hut was fastened down and the door locked. We had expected this and brought with us a piece of wire, with which we succeeded in picking the lock. The floor of the cabin was of earth. In one corner was a pile of buffalo and bear skins which he evidently used for a bed.

"A black pot and frying-pan stood by the fireplace and a picture-frame hung over it with the face to the wall. We turned it and found it to be that of a beautiful young woman dressed in the fashion of half a century ago. It was a haughty face, and reminded me of portraits of the great Catherine of Russia. The frame was of solid silver and must have weighed six or seven pounds. Beneath the glass and right across the forehead of the picture was written in red ink, 'Fair as the lily and as false as hell.'"

Montauk and Milford Line.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the shareholders of the Milford Haven Railway Co. held to-day, the chairman said that as a result of his late visit to the United States it has been practically settled that a line of American steamers to be called the Montauk and Milford Line would be established. The port of arrival and departure of the steamers of this line would be Milford Haven. When the necessary facilities were supplied to the line it would be put into operation.

Created a Sensation.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 1.—The grand jury finished its labors to-day, and created a genuine sensation in society by indicting some of the leading men and women in the city on charges of renting houses to keepers of bawdy houses. Among those indicted were Steuben Woodson, of the Sexton National Bank, brother of ex-Gov. Silas Woodson, and Mrs. Rachael Oleming, a well known society leader. Warrants were issued and the defendants gave bonds.

Is Europe Engaged in Bloodless War?

But it may be that war has taken a new turn and that we are already in the midst of it; that the nations are now fighting with millions of money and the constant augmentation of their effective forces instead of fighting with guns, and that the first one who shall be obliged to admit that she cannot go any further in the line of armaments will be the vanquished. Certainly such a war is less bloody than the wars of other times, but at the same time it is just as costly. One thing is certain, however, and that is that it is impossible to go much further in this direction. It is even impossible that things can remain long in their present situation. This monstrous German law, if it is to be imitated in other countries, must certainly mark the extreme limit of what the nations can do and what they will do.—Figaro.

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The Bicycle Is Better Than Any Drugs, Says Dr. Hood, of Chicago.

"Æsculapius on wheels" is destined to be the picture on the wall at which patients will gaze while they sit in the doctor's outer office and await their turn.

Wheel riding is rapidly growing to be one of the family physician's favorite prescriptions, and instead of going from his office to the corner drug store the patient has instructions to go to the bicycle store. The little slip of paper he carries in his hand reads:

"Rx—One bicycle taken before and after meals." The patient and not the medicine is well shaken at the time of taking.

One of the many physicians who are now prescribing pedals in the place of pills for various distempers is Dr. C. T. Hood. He has found that bicycle riding will in most instances cure insomnia; that it will often restring a nervous wreck or drive out the pain in creaking, rheumatic joints. Dr. Hood sometimes burns late oil in his mental workshop until his head is in a whirl and refuses to go to sleep, and then he goes into the basement, gets rid of his whirl by taking it down Jackson boulevard two or three times. Then he turns in and goes immediately to sleep.

"To sleep or not to sleep?" said the doctor, "is a question which confronts the medical fraternity far oftener than the laity has any idea of, and scarcely a week goes by that some new drug is not discovered and advertised to be a sure cure for sleeplessness. This increase in the number of sleep producing drugs means an increased demand, which means an increase in the number of poor sleepers, which is a fact.

"Anybody who will take the pains to inquire of the different druggists in his neighborhood will be surprised at the number of people who are constant patrons of the drug store for sleep producing drugs. During physiological sleep the brain receives sufficient food to carry on its nutritive function only, and more or less blood than is necessary for this function may produce insomnia, or, in other words, the causes of insomnia are two—first, cerebral anemia; second, cerebral hyperemia.

"In cerebral hyperemia the blood vessels of the brain are dilated to accommodate an increased reception of the blood, and are active or passive, according as the flow is greater or less than normal. The most common cause of passive cerebral hyperemia is that due to persistent mental activity, especially so when accompanied with anxiety.

"Those who have ever passed through the throes of insomnia know the anguish of thought, the slowness of time, when seconds become hours and minutes become days. If this condition is allowed to continue it soon emerges into a state where there is no sleep, but mental depression, stupor, melancholia and insanity. With a passive cerebral hyperemia there is, without exception, so far as I can find, a slower acting heart.

"The heart, to exercise its normal action on the venous circulation, must contract full and quick, so as to make a sudden, quick suction on the blood in the auricles and the veins emptying into them. The physician who will prescribe the bromides, chlorals and opiates to a patient without any more consideration of the case than that it is one of insomnia is a poor doctor.

"One of the best remedies is horseback riding, but it is not everybody who can afford a saddle horse or who could even ride one. The best thing I have found productive of the most beneficial results in reducing the passive cerebral hyperemia is bicycle riding. It increases respiration and heart action, stimulates oxygenation of the blood, and by the regular exercise and removal of the venous accumulations, the torpid liver, the inactive bowels, kidneys and skin resume their normal action."—Chicago News-Record.

It Helps the Naturalists.

Although the commercial demand for humming birds has been the cause of their wholesale destruction, it has enabled naturalists to become better acquainted with them, the vast number of specimens contained in milliners' and taxidermists' stocks frequently yielding species which otherwise would have been likely to remain unknown to science.—Philadelphia Times.

At the Seaside.

Husband (sarcastically pointing to donkey)—That's a relation of yours, isn't it?

Wife—Yes, by marriage.—Exchange.

Light from Celestial Bodies.

Light travels at the rate of 212,000 miles a second, a velocity which causes the rays from the moon to reach us in a little less than a second and a quarter. The rays of Jupiter are fifty-two minutes in reaching us. It would take millions of years for the same beams to reach us if their starting point was from one of the fixed stars.—St. Louis Republic.

How to Scour Bed Ticking.

Apply to soiled spots a paste made of soft soap and starch, and let it dry. Then brush off with a whisk broom, repeating the process if necessary. Finish by wiping the spots with a damp cloth.

How to Remove Egg Stains from Silver.

Rub the places with salt.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

The Delicacy of Measuring Instruments.

The adjustment of measuring instruments has been brought to a point of such accuracy as to give almost incredible results. Scales are now made that will weigh the flame of a candle or the smallest strand of a hair plucked from the eyebrows. These scales are triumphs of mechanism and are inclosed in glass cases, as the slightest breath of air would impair their records. The glass cases have a sliding door, and as soon as the weight is placed in the balances the door slides down. The balances are cleared again and made ready for further use by the the pressing of a button, which slightly raises the beams. Two pieces of paper of equal weight can be placed in the scales and an autograph written in pencil on either piece will cause the other side to ascend, and the needle, which indicates the divisions of weight, even to the ten millionth part of a pound and less, will move from its perpendicular. A signature containing nine letters has been weighed, and proved to be exactly two milligrammes, or the 12,500th part of an ounce troy.

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Dated 22nd November, 1892.

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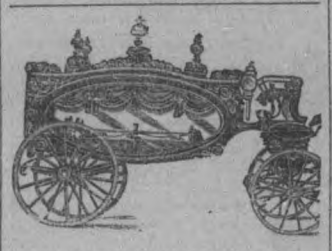

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A BY-LAW

A By-Law for Correcting and Revising the Voters' List.

WHEREAS by virtue of Section 104, sub-section 122 of the Municipal Act, 1892, the Council may make, alter and repeal by-laws, *inter alia*, for annually correcting and revising the Voters' List of the Municipality, subject as therein mentioned;

And whereas it is expedient to pass a by-law for said purpose;

Therefore be it enacted by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, by the Council thereof, as follows:—

Sec. 1. On Monday, the 12th day of December, A. D. 1892, at the City Hall, Victoria, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on thereafter by adjournments if any, which said adjournments may be made whether a quorum of the Council is present or not, until completed, the Mayor and Council of the said Corporation shall sit for the purpose of hearing and determining all complaints in respect of the Voters' Lists of the Municipality for the annual Municipal election to be held in the month of January, 1893, and for any subsequent election for a member or members of the Council during that year, of which complaint or complaints, notice in writing specifying the nature and grounds thereof shall have been delivered to the City Clerk at the City Hall, not later than 1 o'clock p.m. on the 10th day of December, 1892, signed by or on behalf of the person complaining.

Sec. 2. That the said List of Voters in the said municipality shall be finally corrected and revised and certified as correct by the Mayor thereof on or before the 19th day of December, 1892.

Sec. 3. The Voters' List revision by-law, 1891, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This by-law may be cited as the "Voters' Lists Revision By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council on the 18th day of November, 1892.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the City Council the 21th day of November, 1892.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J DOWLER, C.M.C.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the "Local Improvement By-Law, 1892."

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the "Local Improvement By-Law, 1892;"

Be it therefore enacted by the Corporation of the City of Victoria by the Council thereof as follows:—

Sec. 1. The preamble of the said By-Law is hereby amended by inserting between the words "to" and "such" in the 5th line thereof the words "certain of."

Sec. 2. Section one of the said By-Law is hereby amended by inserting the words "such of" between the words 'constructing" and "the" in the first line, and the words "as are referred to in this by-law" between the words "thereof" and "shall" in the third line of said section.

Sec. 3. Sub-section C of section 5 of the Local Improvement By-Law, 1892, is hereby amended by striking out in line 2 the word "will" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "should."

Subsection D of section 5 of the Local Improvement By-Law, 1892, is hereby amended by striking out in line 1 the words "is to" and inserting in lieu thereof "should."

Sec. 4. Section 7 of said by-law is hereby amended by inserting the words "main or" between the words "any" and "common" in the second line thereof.

Sec. 5. Section 9 of the said by-law is hereby struck out and the following inserted in lieu thereof:

"Section 9. When a vacant space intervenes between the line of a street and a building into which or under which a sewer pipe is to be taken to connect with any sewer, the cost of laying the sewer pipe across such vacant space and under such building shall be payable and paid by the owner of such real property to be so connected with such sewer and until paid shall be a charge on such real property."

Sec. 6. Section 10 of said by-law is hereby amended by inserting the words "or common" after the word "main" whenever it occurs in said section, and by inserting after the word "shall" in the third line of said section the words "in accordance with the provisions of section 8 of this by-law."

Sec. 7. Section 11 of said by-law is hereby amended by striking out the word "statute" in the 7th line and inserting in lieu thereof the words "this or any other by-law," and also by striking out the word and figure "Section 14" in the 8th line of said clause and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Sections 9 and 14."

Sec. 8. Section 15 of said By-law is hereby amended by striking out all words after "cau-e" in the 5th line thereof and inserting the following in lieu thereof: "a notice to be inserted in at least one newspaper published in the City to the effect that the said report or a necessary part thereof is open for inspection at the office of the Assessor, and it shall be the duty of the Assessor to see that such report or part thereof is open for the inspection of all persons during office hours."

Sec. 9. Section 17 of the Local Improvement By-law, 1892, is hereby amended by striking out in the 1st and 2nd lines all the words down to and including the word "assessment," and inserting in lieu thereof: "If within a period of fifteen days from the date of the first publication of such notice as aforesaid any petition is presented against any improvement."

Sec. 10. Section 18 of the Local Improvement By-Law, 1892, is hereby amended by adding at the end of the 9th line the following: "and the assessment roll showing the property and the amounts assessed for the local improvement shall be prepared and be open for inspection at the office of the assessor."

Passed the Municipal Council on the 28th day of November, 1892.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council on the 28th day of November, 1892.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

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THE COAL OIL DUTY.

Some time ago the Montreal Star commenced a crusade against the duty on coal oil, and judging from the way in which it has been backed up by other eastern papers it seems likely that the crusade will be successful in some degree. So far there has been practically no defense of the duty, the discussion being quite one-sided. Even the Canadian Manufacturer, the organ of the Red Parlor, has joined in the attack, asking for the abolition of the duty as a way of perfecting the "national policy." Put on this ground, the proposal to do away with the duty can hardly be resisted by the Government, but there will no doubt be very active resistance from the Canadian oil refiners. In an editorial article the St. John Telegraph shows that as an industry-breeder the duty is far from being a success. The several imposts, including duty, inspection fee, etc., add 11½ cents to the cost of every gallon of oil; and that means an addition of $1,345,911 to the total amount of oil consumed in Canada. The revenue derived from the imported oil by the Government amounts to $375,000. There are 270 hands engaged in the Canadian refineries, and therefore, as the Telegraph shows, the country could afford to pension off these men at $2 per day if coal oil were allowed to come in free from the United States. The great proportion of the increased cost goes to the Canadian refiners in the shape of inordinate profits. There is no doubt as to the cost of petroleum being increased by the impost. In Portland and Ogdensburg good American refined oil retails at 12 cents per gallon; in Montreal and Ottawa the price is 23 cents. The Canadian article sells at a slightly lower figure, but then it is so much inferior that nobody will buy it who can afford to get the other. But strong as is the case made out against the coal oil duty in the East, it is even stronger from the British Columbian point of view. Here we are obliged to buy American oil, and there is a difference of over 20 cents a gallon between the British Columbia price and the price across the line. The privilege of importing coal oil free would, in short, leave some $40,000 a year in the pockets of British Columbians that is now taken out of them, and this is a sum not to be despised. We notice in some papers a statement to the effect that the duty on coal oil was put on by the Mackenzie Government. The truth is that the Mackenzie Government reduced the duty from 15 cents to 7 cents per gallon and removed altogether an excise duty that was formerly collected from the Canadian refiners. In Mr. Mackenzie's time American oil was worth 40 cents; now its price is down to about six cents per gallon, wholesale. If the Conservative Government had reduced the duty in the same proportion that Mr. Mackenzie did there would be very little of it left now. Instead of following his example, however, they listened to the voice of the refiners and concluded that the latter should have more "protection." Not daring to directly increase the duty, they arrived at the same result by a roundabout process. They prescribed a higher fire test and a higher inspection fee for American than for Canadian oil; they placed a duty on the barrels in which American oil is imported, and they provided that the oil must be imported in barrels, not in tanks. All these things worked in just the same way as a heavy increase in the duty would.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The eastern mail has again failed to reach Victoria because the train was a few hours late and the boat was not detained to meet it. This sort of abuse could be reformed by the Postoffice Department at once, if it cared to move in the matter. But this and other departments of the Government pay very little attention to Victoria, for the reason that they suppose Victorians will always "vote right," no matter how much they grumble. It remains for the people of this city to disabuse the Ottawa mind in this particular.

It is now stated that the Democratic governor of Massachusetts, Mr. Russell, owes his recent re-election to the blunders made by some 15,000 Republican voters. The Republican candidate for lieutenant-governor was Roger Wolcott, while Wolcott Hamlin was the prohibition candidate for governor. The 15,000 Republicans are said to have mixed up the two names and voted for Haile and Wolcott Hamlin instead of Haile and Roger Wolcott, thus vitiating their ballots. This explanation is put forward in all seriousness by the Republicans, but it is hard to accept it. At all events it is a serious reflection on the intelligence of Massachusetts voters.

SICK IN A HAYSTACK.

Ah Toy is Found Suffering From Fever and Ague.

Ah Toy, laborer, aged 50, was found in a haystack on the property of Mrs. McNeill, Oscar street, in a pitiable condition. Toy was suffering from fever and ague. Toy said he had been turned out of doors because he could not pay his rent. He was too poor. His celestial kinsfolks would not help him. Dr. Duncan, medical health officer, who examined Toy, told him to go to the city physician and get a certificate and be sent to the hospital. Toy had slept two weeks in the haystack. He scooped a bed out of the hay for himself. He has had no food for several days and is in a very weak condition.

The Victoria Celestials have taken up a subscription and will send the sick Chinaman to his relatives in Westminster. This information is obtained as the TIMES goes to press.

GEORGE FRANCIS DROWNED.

His Body Found Near His Boathouse in Esquimalt Harbor.

George Francis, boatman, aged 63, was drowned near his boathouse in Esquimalt harbor this morning. Francis was last seen alive at the Esquimalt House at 3 o'clock in the morning. He had been to the Bay View Hotel, where a farewell party was given the crew of the Warspite. He left to go to his cabin, which was alongside his boathouse. Francis was never again seen alive. At 11 o'clock this morning one of the boatmen noticed a hat floating near the landing.

"That's the hat of old George," said one. "We have not seen him to-day," added another. They picked the hat out of the water, and found that it belonged to "Old George." Hastily they rushed to his cabin. Not there. Then with pikes they searched the bottom, and the dead body was found in a few minutes. It was almost under the boat.

The supposition is that deceased was trying to get his boat round near his cabin and fell into the water. Inquest to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon.

George Francis was an old British Columbia pioneer. He came to British Columbia in the early sixties from New York. For many years he ran a livery stable in Trounce avenue, but for the past four years he has been earning a livelihood as a boatman. He has three daughters and a son alive.

"I'M TIRED OF THIS."

Waldeck, Alleged Embezzler, Desires to Make a Statement to Court.

The Waldeck embezzling case again came up in the Supreme Court this afternoon. Justice Crease presided. The court waited five minutes for Lawyer Irving, solicitor for Waldeck. In the meantime Waldeck approached Lawyer Mills, solicitor for the prosecution, and asked him if he could not make a statement to the court. Mr. Mills replied that he would advise him to wait and ask his lawyer.

"I'm tired of this affair," said Waldeck, and went and sat down again in his seat. Lawyer Irving appeared. Waldeck turned to him. The face of the alleged embezzler did not bear a pleasant appearance. Several minutes' conversation passed between them.

Lawyer Mills then rose. He asked for an adjournment till Monday afternoon at 2:30. A telegram had been received from Chief of Police Crowley, of San Francisco, stating that Geo. Khan, the victim, and the office boy who cashed the check had started for Victoria on the steamer Walla Walla, which will arrive in Victoria Sunday. The court granted the adjournment. Waldeck appeared vexed. There was a long conversation among the interested parties.

"I'm tired of this. That's all."

Waldeck used these words to Lawyer Irving. Waldeck does not care for adjournment. He thinks the English law very slow. He wants to go to San Francisco at once. It is understood that Lawyer Mills will withdraw the charge against Waldeck with the permission of the court. Waldeck will be handed over to Detective Anthony. If he attempts to escape, he will be arrested on the second warrant out against him. Waldeck does not love the food of the provincial jail. He has hardly eaten anything since his incarceration there. He would like a meal in a good restaurant. He asked that he might be allowed to indulge his appetite. The prison diet makes him sick. And his appearance indicates that he is not happy.

THE COQUITLAM CASE.

The Divisional Court Orders a Stay of Proceedings in the Second Action.

Their Lordships, Messrs. Justices Crease and Drake, sat to-day as a Divisional Court, hearing an appeal from an order made by Mr. Justice Walkem on Nov. 28th in the case of the Union Steamship Co. of Vancouver vs. Rithet, *et al.* The case is somewhat complicated and arose as follows: On the 4th of June of this year John G. Cox and Richard Hall, acting as the agents of Messrs. Rithet, Earle, Carne and Munsie, chartered the Coquitlam of the Union Steamship Co. for the purpose of forwarding supplies to the sealing schooners and bringing their "catch" to Victoria. On the 22nd of June the Coquitlam was seized by the United States authorities for alleged infraction of the revenue laws of the United States, and the Company secured her release only by depositing security with the authorities at Sitka. The vessel and her cargo of skins were taken to Victoria, whereupon Messrs. Rithet *et al* applied for delivery of their skins, which the Company refused except on payment of $8367. They then made application before his Lordship the Chief Justice, who made an order for the delivery to them of the sealskins on payment into court of $9000 and a further order to add Cox and Hall as defendants. This was accordingly done. Messrs. Rithet *et al* then brought action to recover $5000 damages, as they claimed they had lost the benefit of the October market and had to wait until January to realize on their skins and also to secure the repayment of the deposit of $9000. The company counter claimed for $5069, alleging that the seizure of the vessel was due to the action of the plaintiffs and that at the time of the seizure she was under their control.

On the 17th of October the company brought a cross action against the plaintiffs in the original action and Messrs. Cox and Hall for $8966.98, being money due for hire of the Coquitlam from June 4th to October 14th. The defendants applied for a stay of proceedings on the ground that the action was vexatious and to avoid multiplicity of legal proceedings, inasmuch as the issues in the second action would be the same as in the first and the company could obtain the same relief by way of counter claim in the first action. Mr. Justice Walkem dismissed the application with costs and the defendant then appealed to the Divisional Court, which to-day allowed the appeal. The second action is set down for trial on the 9th inst., but owing to the appeal being allowed there is a stay of all proceedings.

Mr. H. D. Helmcken appeared for Messrs. Cox and Hall; Mr. E. V. Bodwell for Messrs. Rithet, Earle, Carne & Munsie, and Messrs. Eberts & Taylor for the steamship company.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Tug Lorne passed Beacon Hill at 3 o'clock, bound for Nanaimo with the bark Richard.

The bark Thermopylæ is still unloading at the outer wharf, but will come inside in a few days.

The steamer Danube will not sail until to-morrow night, hence the Canadian Western survey party under Mr. A. S. Going C. E., will not get away till then. The party number 15.

H. M. S. Melpomene and H. M. S. Daphne weathered the storm of Sunday in San Francisco bay without even having to move. They would in fact have gone to sea, but could get no coal.

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THE HEAVIEST TAXPAYERS.

A List of Those Whose Holdings are Assessed at Over Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Improvements Being Assessed at Only Half Their Value Changes the Positions.

Below is given a list of the heaviest taxpayers of the city together with the amount on which they are assessed. Previous to the last time of extending the city limits the Hudson Bay Company annually headed the list, but now they have dropped back into third place. The list is not a long one, only including those whose individual holdings are $50,000 and over. To go below that figure would be to extend the list to a great length.

Estate R. Finlayson	$ 491,265
W. H. Oliver	338,[illegible]
Hudson Bay Co	326,110
B.C. Land & Investment Co	320,445
J. D. Pemberton	283,750
Estate Sir Jas. Douglas	273,185
Amor De Cosmos	162,205
James Yates	154,630
Joseph Bros	153,250
A. J. Langley	141,920
Senator Macdonald	134,770
David Spencer	115,075
Donald Fraser	112,305
W. P. Sayward	110,210
Sir Joseph Trutch	109,575
R. J. Russell	105,900
Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir	92,200
Jacob Sehl	82,700
Garesche, Green & Co	82,100
Dr. Powell	77,675
Hon. W. Hamley	75,725
Estate J. M. Reed	74,000
E. G. Prior	73,620
C. Bossi	71,750
Geo. Stelly	68,780
B. W. Pearse	68,750
Estate D. McTavish	68,375
Arthur Porter	67,250
A. Ofner	66,300
Mrs. E. G. Prior	66,125
S. J. Pitts	65,890
J. F. and T. Fell	66,250
L. Erb	64,580
D. W. Higgins	64,350
Mrs. Lizzie Watkins	61,750
Albion Iron Works	61,450
Driard House	60,000
Southgate & Hamilton	59,000
Mrs. E. F. Huggins	58,225
Canada Western Hotel Co	56,750
T. Earle	56,315
Mrs. J. A. Grahame	55,880
Estate J. Heywood	55,840
Lenevue Estate	52,950
J. J. Southgate	52,850
Victoria Theatre Co	52,800
W. J. Pendray	51,805
Estate J. Spratt	51,600

The value of a few of the principal corners is interesting reading. The Five Sisters' block is assessed on land $105,000, and improvements $35,000. The land assessment of the Adelphi corner is $31,500. The corner opposite standing in J. D. Pemberton's name, is is assessed for $30,000; the Pritchard House, $24,000; L. Goodacre's corner, $36,600; the Victoria Hotel, owned by Wilson & Dalby, $58,100; the Jewell corner $36,000; the Turner block, owned by Hon. Forbes G. Vernon, $39,000; the Kirk block $45,000. The cause of the change in many of the figures is the fact that this year improvements are assessed at but one-half their value.

Babel's Modern Rival.

The mud heaps will soon be gone from the Adelphi block precincts and peace will once more reign in the soul of the unlucky pedestrian condemned to wade in that direction. The Adelphi building has rivalled the Tower of Babel in this much that all sorts and conditions of men have sworn, cussed and verbally kicked in nearly all the languages known to man respecting the shocking depravity of the contractors in playing hog with the roadway.

Two of the Crew Free.

Andrew George and Antonio Ferrine, two of the crew of the bark River Ganges, were paid off by Capt. Budge this morning. The captain will probably come to a settlement with the men upon the score of bad food. Magistrate Pearson intimated that he would award the men a money consideration for being supplied with bad food. Captain Budge has been given a few days to come to terms Failing, he will again be brought up in the courts.

The Drill Hall.

The Vancouver News-Advertiser has a special from Ottawa that will remove a heavy load from Col. Prior's shoulders and will deter him from writing a second letter threatening to resign. The telegram says: "The Government has ordered the work on the Victoria drill shed to be pushed forward this winter although the grant has been expended. Provision will be made for the additional cost in the supplementary estimates."

For Several Months.

From seven in the morning till closing time every day in the week, Lange & Co., have been selling their splendid stock of jewelry, etc., away below auction prices, and those who purchase from them are not obliged to compete with others for bargains, and can take their own time selecting what they want. All goods purchased guaranteed. No one will regret buying from them. LANGE & Co., 93 Government street. *

Rum Robbed Petersen.

Charles Petersen, a Swede, was committed for trial by Magistrate Macrae in the city police court this morning. Petersen induced John Peterson, a namesake and a sailor, to enter his cabin, got him drunk with rum and robbed him of $20. At least that was the evidence of the alleged victim and a man named Bowerson. Peterson pleads innocence.

Bank of Montreal at Vernon.

The new branch of the Bank of Montreal was opened for business at Vernon this morning, under the management of Mr. G. A. Henderson, well known here and in Vancouver. Mr. Henderson filled with credit the position of accountant in the Bank of Montreal in both cities.

Just Received.

Glasgow beef ham, Spiced roll bacon, Bologna sausage, Glasgow pea meal, Finnan haddies, Bonaparte potatoes at R. H. Jameson's, Red Front Store, 33 Fort street. 30-6t

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Vancouver Driving Park.

The B. C. Jockey Club, Vancouver, has decided to decrease the limit of membership from 25 to 50. The track at Hastings will in future be called the Vancouver Driving Park, the name by which the two yearly meetings will henceforth be designated.

Naval Movements.

H.M.S. Warspite leaves en route for England to-morrow morning at 9:30. H.M.S. Nymphe will wait for mails and it is expected she will leave about the 10th and convey them to H.M.S. Warspite at Santa Barbara. She will then return to Esquimalt to keep H.M.S. Hyacinthe company for the winter.

Given a Surprise Party.

There was a very pleasant surprise party at the home of Miss Josie Giesleman, 47 Maclure street, last evening. About forty ladies and gentlemen were present. Dancing and other amusements were kept up until 3 o'clock this morning. The party was given upon the eve Miss Giesleman's departure for Portland, Ore.

That Rice Case.

The customs case against the bark River Ganges for supplying rice to Mr. Phœnix, without permission, has been placed in the hands of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, the Dominion solicitors. They will fully examine into the affair and advise as to action. Capt. Budge only reported having 1100 pounds of rice on board, and he supplied Mr. Phœnix with 1000 pounds.

Captain O'Brien.

The marine men of Tacoma regard the decision reached in the case of the whaleback Wetmore, by which Captain O'Brien's licence was revoked, as decidedly unjust. The whaleback is regarded by them as a "hoodoo" that will never be a success in ocean traffic. They all acknowledge Captain O'Brien as one of the most careful as well as competent skippers on the coast. The captain is now laid up by injuries received in a street car accident.

A Credit to Kootenay.

The latest star in the journalistic firmament of British Columbia is the Nelson Tribune, published by Messrs. John Houston & Co. The Tribune is a clean, prettily-dressed, four-page journal, as attractive to the eye as it is interesting to the peruser. Crammed full of news and racy comments on pertinent matters, especially relating to the great mining region, the Tribune should soon make itself a household necessity throughout the whole of Kootenay. If future issues are up to number one the success of the enterprising proprietors of the Tribune is assured.

It "Fell Through."

The case against Wing Kee in the city police court "fell through." Wing Kee was charged with permitting four Chinamen to sleep in a room, each occupant not having the required 384 cubic feet of air required by the city by-law. Sanitary Inspector Bailey admitted that he had entered the premises in the afternoon, but stated that there were four beds in the room. The court dismissed the case.

To convict occupancy must be proved between midnight and 5 o'clock in the morning. The police have a small batch of summonses out against the Celestials, and the police court is likely to be again temporarily converted into a Chinese rendezvous. The summonses are for violation of the sanitary by-laws.

Vancouver Statistics.

During the month of November there were registered with Mr. A. E. Beck, of the Vancouver county court, 9 births, 14 deaths and 13 marriages.

There were 14 interments in the city cemetery during November, and 52 cases before the police court.

The customs collections for the month and also in the corresponding month in 1891, were as follows:

	1892.	1891.
Duty collected	$23,005 52	$19,665 86
Other revenues	4,305 99	1,573 50
Total	$27,311 51	$21,239 36

The increase over the collections of the previous year is thus $6,072.15.

Squamish Council.

In a local paper it was stated that the recent election of the first council of the Squamish Municipality fell through because there were no duly qualified persons there. This is, says the News-Advertiser, not quite correct, and the mistake occurred through a misunderstanding. According to law electors to qualify for office, have to register their titles, the qualification for reeve being $500, and councillors $250. This the settlers there neglected to do, although of course a large number would be duly qualified, as they have resided there for three years, and made the necessary improvements on their land. They will, however, next time see that this matter is attended to, and it is earnestly hoped that the Provincial Government will appoint an early day for another election, so that they can get down to work.

AGENT DALEY'S DEFALCATIONS.

The Nelson Bank Agent Committed For Trial For Embezzling.

Mr. W. C. Ward, manager of the Bank of British Columbia, returned on Wednesday evening from Nelson, where he had been in connection with the defalcation of Agent Daley. Upon investigation it was found that Daley was short much less than at first reported, $5600 being the exact amount that he embezzled. He did this in several ways, but principally by receiving money and failing to enter it. Daley was tried for embezzlement and committed for trial. He will be removed to the Kamloops jail to await trial.

The length of time over which the defalcations extend is not known. When Mr. Ward visited Nelson a few weeks ago Daley succeeded in covering up his shortage by issuing a fictitious draft and writing a letter which he copied in his duplicating book. When Mr. Ward returned to Victoria, he found that the amount of the draft had never been remitted. Hurrying back to Nelson he had Daley arrested.

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Judgment for Fifty Dollars.

An interesting case was heard in the County Court to-day, in which a man claimed $100 damages from the Tramway Company for negligence in allowing a Pandora street car to run over and kill a valuable dog belonging to the plaintiff. His Lordship the Chief Justice gave judgment for $50 and costs, holding that it was negligence on the part of any person or company to commit any damage which could be avoided by the exercise of a little care. His Lordship remarked on the conflicting nature of the evidence as to the car at the time of the accident. Four witnesses for the plaintiff were positive that the car was going at the rate of between 12 and 15 miles an hour, while the conductor and the motoneer swore that the car came to a "dead stop." "I prefer to believe the four witnesses," said His Lordship, "and to disbelieve the story of the other two men. But I do not say that they do not believe their story themselves; they may have repeated it so often that they now actually believe it. I can understand how two men may form a different opinion as to the speed of a car in motion, but I cannot conceive how four men can estimate the speed at 12 or 15 miles an hour if the car is then at a stand-still." And the crowd in the court room were of the same opinion.

Turner's English Girls.

The next attraction at the theatre, Monday, December 5, will be Turner's English girls. This company numbers twenty people and has a national reputation of being one of the best burlesque companies on the road. They have played continuously for four years without missing one night, having traveled to the Pacific coast twice during that time. They recently appeared in Baltimore, and the Sun says of them: "Turner's English Girls' company is all right. They finished their week's engagement Saturday night to a crowded house, standing room being at a premium, and gave the best show of its kind that was ever given upon a Baltimore stage. The comedians carried by the company are all first-class and keep the house in a roar of laughter during the performance. The company is worthy of liberal patronage wherever it appears, as it gives a fine entertainment."

Hell and How to Escape It.

Rev. Father Linder, one of the Redemptorists conducting the mission at St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral, devoted himself last night to a sermon on hell, dealing with the certainty of its existence, the reason for its existence, the character of its torments, its eternity and what the Roman Catholic must do to be saved from it. He was heard with attention to the close.

Judge and Prisoner Pleased.

Sergt. Walker was praised by Justice Crease in the Supreme Court this afternoon. It was at the adjourned case of embezzler Waldeck. The court told Walker that he had acted in a very efficient manner in arresting and acting as custodian of the alleged embezzler. Afterwards Waldeck also thanked Walker for his kind treatment.

Who Owns the Streets?

The solicitor for the tramway company wanted to-day in the County Court to put in evidence a municipal by-law to show that the company had a right to use the streets.

"Oh yes," said the Chief Justice, "we'll admit that. Indeed I am not sure that any other person has."

For Uncleanly House-keepers.

Sanitary Inspector Bailey has a couple of dozen summonses in his inside pocket. The summonses are for uncleanly house-keepers who have their back premises in an unsanitary condition.

Joined in Wedlock.

Miss Mary Peden and Mr. Thomas Moffat were married last evening at the residence of the bride's father on San Juan avenue.

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21 Winter Jackets, $13.75, Reduced to $6.50.	18 Winter Jackets, $14.25, Reduced to $7.50.	16 Winter Jackets, $15.50, Reduced to $8.50.	4 Dogskin Jackets, $14.50, Reduced to $5.90.
11 Astrachan Jackets, $15.50, Reduced to $8.50.	13 Sealette Jackets, $15.50, Reduced to $8.50.	32 Silk Lined Jackets, $17 to $22, Reduced to $9.50.	7 Military Trimmed Jackets, $18.00, Reduced to $9.50.
7 Military Trimmed Jackets, $22.00, Reduced to $11.50.	7 Jackets, Trimmed with real Astrachan $16, Reduced to $7.50.	10 Jackets, Fur Trimmed $16, Reduced to $8.50.	9 Pilot Cloth Coats, $14.00, Reduced to $7.50.
11 Beaver Jackets, $18.00, Reduced to $6.90.	18 Waterproof Coats, $4.75 and $7.50, Reduced to $1.90.	16 Colored Travelling Coats, $10 to $16, Reduced to $5.90.	Stylish Ulsters, $14 to $17, Reduced to $7.50.
Black Cloth Dolmans, Trimmed with Fur and Astrachan, $10.50 to $21, Reduced to $3.90 and $7.50	Plush Mantles, Satin Lined, $12.00 to $21.00, Reduced to $7.50.	Fur Lined and Quilted Cloaks, Fur Muffs, Boas, Etc., Reduced Half Price.	High Priced Jackets, From $25 to $46, Reduced to $15, $18 & $25

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Shanghai is divided into three settlements, first the English and American settlement built up like Liverpool, with palatial brick buildings, then the French section, with smooth, clean, macadamized streets and two-storied Chinese houses, mostly occupied by Chinese merchants and artisans, and lastly the old walled city which they call Chinatown. When you go to Chinatown you have to walk. The streets are about six feet wide. The only vehicle that can pass these streets is the big-wheeled Chinese wheelbarrow. On this you will see loads of iron, stones, and sometimes two light-footed women with clumps of feet hanging helplessly over the wheelbarrow. I saw a Chinaman wheeling another Chinaman and a live hog on the same wheelbarrow.

THE CHINESE WHEELBARROW.

As we pass through Japan into China we find that the Chinese, like the Japanese, seldom use horses. In Japan men drew immense loads in jinrikshas and two-wheeled wagons, but the Chinese use the wheelbarrow. A Chinaman will wheel half a ton clear across the city of Shanghai for ten cents.

In this old Chinese town, the city in Shanghai around which a wall was built a thousand years ago, we see all the industries carried on in the most primitive style. Here is a man pounding copper into a teakettle, logs are being sawed by hand, and hand looms are weaving silk. Carpenters, blacksmiths and masons work for $2.50 a week, and subsist on rice and a little peanut oil and fish. Rice is worth 1½ cents per pound, and 35 cents' worth will feed a Chinaman for a month.

The Chinese tailor will make a lady's dress or a suit of clothes $5 cheaper than any other tailor on earth. Hundreds of tourists fit themselves out in China. They use English goods and pay Chinese wages, which are $3 a week for an expert tailor capable of reproducing any garment.

A most superb test of Chinese ingenuity occurred yesterday. A large stout lady in our party, with jinriksha riding and hard travelling, had used up her last pair of French corsets. Its many broken and protruding bones made it unbearable. When my tailor brought back a Tuxedo suit this morning Mrs. Marsh said jokingly:

"John, you makee corset?"

John took the corset in his hand, examined its difficult mechanism, and said: "Yes me makee. Me can do."

Mrs. Marsh gave him the sample, and this morning John sidled in softly with two perfect corsets. They were absolute copies, one in pink and the other in black satin, and fitted to a charm! John's price was $3 for duplicating a $15 French corset.

CHINESE THEOLOGY.

There are so many sects of Christians in China and Japan, each teaching a different belief about Christ and the Trinity, that the poor Chinaman is all mixed up. First the Methodists, Baptists and Catholics asked the heathen to worship Christ as God. Then the Unitarians taught that Christ was only a good man, like Buddha. Then Edwin Arnold, the great agnostic, came and put Buddha over Christ, made Buddha "The Light of Asia." Going down to Ceylon, Mr. Arnold showed his adoration for the tooth of Buddha, kept there as a relic.

To-day I tried to get at the belief of a converted Chinaman, and asked him a few questions, which he answered in pigeon English.

"John," I said, "you have heard the preaching of Christians, Unitarians and Agnostics. Now, what do you think about Buddha and Christ—about the Trinity?"

"Me no savee Tlinity. Floreign Joss man very curio. Begin time have got one Melican Joss man—he talkee me this fashion: 'Topside (Orthodox Christians) havee got tlee pieces Joss, no belongee tlue tlee pieces—belong alle same one. One piece—alle same tlee piecce.'

"How can?"

"Bimeby he show me ploper. He have got one book, inside talkee alle same fashion he show me. Must can tlue. So soon me catchee 'Clisten' he pay me do pigeon he house wagee. $2 more large nother man."

"So you embraced Christianity, did you? and then what happened?" I asked.

"That Joss man go way, new piecee come (Unitarian). He, too, belong Joss man (Unitarian) velly near alle same fashion before master. Me no savey this pigeon! He havee got book alle same as first time Joss man, inside, he readee dlifferent flashion. He talkee no belong mix'em up tlee piecee Joss alle same one, one piecee Joss alle same tlee, tlue only got one piecee, no more. I go he house do pigeon. This time ploper one man Joss.

"And then you became a Unitarian, did you?"

"Yes me catchee Clisten one piece God."

"No me changee more. Me see one makee book man (Edwin Arnold). He allee slame floreign man. He topside man. He self do China Joss all same me before do. He chin chin Buddha. He lite big block. He say Buddha all life——alle same Cliste——"

"Then with the Methodist preaching Trinity and Christianity, and the Unitarian preaching God without Christ, and Edwin Arnold preaching Buddha the same as Christ, you are all mixed up, John?"

"Yes tlee fashion Joss. How can savey? Who Joss man ploper? Me go back Buddha. So many Joss men. So many piecee Joss makee Chinaman tlired. Good beye!"

CHINESE LITTLE FEET.

To-day there was a great fete in the Chinese garden outside of Shanghai. It was a dragon festival. In the procession was a gaudy dragon sixty feet long. Here I saw women with all kinds of feet—little feet four inches long, medium feet, and big feet. I find there is no caste connected with little feet. Poor women in obscure and filthy quarters have them as often as the wealthy classes. It is simply vanity. It is common to see women in rags hobbling along on stumps of feet as ungainly as a man walking on wooden legs. If it were not for the jinrikshas and wheelbarrows many of them would never go a square from home. They are proud of the deformity, and grin all over when an American lady notices them.

I have been told repeatedly in China that no Chinese lady ever allowed a photograph taken of her feet. To-day, after buying a Hawthorn vase and a bolt of Chinese crape of a rich China merchant, I prevailed upon him to let a Kodak be taken of his wife's little feet.

"Such pretty, pretty feet," I said, admiring the little silk baby shoes.

He assented after much reluctance. Her feet are only four inches long. I found the four small toes rolled under and entirely embedded in the bottom of the foot. Only the big toe went to the toe of the shoe. It was not a foot, but more like the thigh bone of a chicken, a triangle of solid flesh and bone. The lady could walk very well, but with a hobbling gait.

ELI PERKINS.

ORANGE JUDD.

A Pioneer Agricultural Editor Well Known in Canada.

Orange Judd, the senior editor of the Orange Judd Farmer, of Chicago, recently celebrated his 70th birthday. He put in, notwithstanding his advanced age, no less than fourteen hours solid work at the desk that day; but he was not allowed to forget the three-score milestone in his life's journey, for on arriving at the office he was surprised to find a large oak chair to which was attached the following legend: "A Token of Respect and Kindly Regard from his Employees." Throughout the day and evening other and many evidences of affection arrived at his office and residence, and the veteran editor was cheered and encouraged by these many tokens of esteem. Although Mr. Judd has arrived at an age when most men retire to enjoy the fruits of a useful and well-spent life, he still considers his life work far from completed. He was born in a pioneer log cabin on the 26th July, 1822, near Niagara Falls, and grew up a hard-working farmer's son. He early developed a natural predilection for scientific pursuits, and when near his majority he left home and virtually worked his way through college. After nine years in a preparatory seminary, that is, off and on, as he had to work to pay his own expenses, he took a post-graduate course in the first United States Agricultural College, and afterwards he entered the Yale agricultural department, lecturing on science as applied to agriculture? After herculean work as a peripeletic lecturer, after the fashion of our Farmers' Institute lectures, he was presented with a small monthly in New York called the American Agriculturist.

ORANGE JUDD.

That was in 1853, but early in the sixties he had run its circulation up from 812 to over 100,000. It is not necessary to say anything about this grand farm journal during its career ever since, under his management and that of those who came after him. Everybody almost in Canada who knows a farm journal at all knows the Agriculturist, and while Mr. Judd was its controlling spirit all its readers felt it had a friend of the farmer at the helm. His hard work on this journal impaired his health, and in 1873 he organized the Agriculturist into a stock company and took a rest of one year in Switzerland. The financial crash in the autumn of that year compelled him to relinquish his interest in the paper; but he soon recovered himself and started the Orange Judd Farmer, of which he is now the respected and able head. His present paper is now in its 12th volume.

MRS. MARY T. H. WILLARD DEAD.

Mrs. Mary T. Hill Willard died at 12.30 o'clock Sunday morning at her home on Chicago avenue in Evanston. Her death was not unexpected. At the bedside were her daughter Frances E. Willard, her neices Katharine Willard and Irene Fockler, Anna Gordon and Alice Briggs.

Mrs. Willard had been failing for some time and viewed her approaching end with cheerful resignation. She was known throughout the country for her efforts in behalf of the cause of temperance. Mrs. Willard's ancestors were from New England, and were Congregationalists. She was born on her father's farm in New York State, Jan. 3, 1805. Her father, John Hill, had moved from Massachusetts to Vermont when the latter State was almost a wilderness. In 1815 he went to Orange county, New York. His daughter Mary received her early training there, and at the age of 15 she began teaching school, which she continued until she was 27. When Miss Hill was 27 years old she married S. F. Willard, with whom, after she had become a mother of three children, she took a full collegiate course at Oberlin, Ohio. Her husband was threatened with consumption, and, loading their household furniture into three large wagons, they made a lonesome journey across the prairies to Wisconsin.

MRS. WILLARD.

After a few years of this pioneer life Mr. and Mrs. Willard came to Chicago prospecting for a home. It was swampy here then, and they returned to Janesville, Wis., where they erected a home. Here they remained until 1858, removing to Evanston in order to give their daughters an education. Ten years after their arrival in Evanston Mr. Willard died. Miss Frances, who is well known in temperance circles in Canada, is the only remaining daughter.—Chicago Herald.

Laying On Of Hands.

Judge—Do you plead guilty or not guilty to the charge of stealing those trousers?

Prisoner—I simply did what I was asked to do, your honor.

Judge—What do you mean?

Prisoner—I obeyed a sign that said: "Hands Wanted on Pants."

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MONTMORENCI FALLS.

A Canadian Spot of Beauty Which is Well Worth a Visit.

The Falls of Montmorenci are well known to the tourist as one of the most interesting features of grand old Quebec. But among the number who visit them, few are aware that they are not the only glory of which Montmorenci can boast. About three-fourths of a mile from where this grand body of water incessantly rushes over a precipice of 250 feet, there are several other scenes of wild and picturesque beauty which would more than delight lovers of the grand and beautiful. One of these is the Montmorenci natural steps, and the

FAIRY FALLS.

varied charm of the surroundings as well as the remarkable formation of the steps, causes them to be an object of interest to all who see them.

The shortest and most convenient way to the place is through the property of Mr. Hall, owner of the famous Montmorenci saw-mills, through whose grounds there is a carriage drive by which visitors are always courteously permitted to pass. The drive is a very pleasant one, presenting, here and there, charming bits of landscape on the way. In several places the road leads through groves of beautiful spruce and maple whose bending foliage, closely interlacing, forms a delightful archway overhead. Passing through a dense wood and reaching the edge of a cliff, through an opening in the brushwood a path is discovered which leads down the side of the cliff. Arriving at the bottom and emerging from the shade of the trees that overhang the pathway, what a grand sight meets the view! There, through a ravine or chasm that extends as far as the eye can reach, rushes the Montmorenci river, in every conceivable form. Now thundering and plunging over the rocks in a succession of rapids and cascades that glitter in the sunlight as though crested with a thousand gems; again, revolving into seething whirlpools that would make one shudder to look into their treacherous depths; anon, as if resting from all the fury and turmoil it had passed through, the torrent relapses into little lakelets that sweetly mirror the bending boughs overhead. To the right of the river, whose course may be traced onward to where it finally plunges in its precipitous flight into the St. Lawrence below, rises a perpendicular rock over fifty feet high, fringed at its summit by the grand old trees that form the glory of our Canadian forests. Into the sides of the rock, from the constant lashing of the water, miniature caves are worn, and the holes in the projecting ledges that jut out here and there resemble the portholes of some ancient vessel. A table of rock extends to the left and projects over the water. Beyond this are the Natural Steps, rising as smooth and regular as if the work of a master builder. Here and there are natural terraces, leading by a few steps to others beyond, some of which are surrounded by tiny ramparts and niches in the smooth stone. The steps lead down in some places to the edge of the water, and everywhere, from among the crevices in the stone, sweet little blue bells and dewy ferns appear, nourished and fed by the spray from the water below.

Among the trees that form a beautiful shrubbery along the side of the steps are picturesque little alcoves carpeted with heather and velvet moss, over which the luxuriant foliage forms a leafy canopy. In one of these lovely retreats is the Wishing Well. There, hidden from the sunlight's gleams, framed with clusters of fern and goldenrod, it sparkles and bubbles, looking

NATURAL STEPS, MONTMORENCI.

like a picture in its floral setting. A charm seems to linger round the spot, and the fact that they who have not yet "crossed the sea of matrimony" are privileged, while drinking its sparkling water, to crave a boon in which their future fate is concerned, should make it interesting to the votaries of hymen.

After lingering among the varied charms that surround the Natural Steps, in which all the witchery of graceful foliage, towering cliffs and natural waterfalls are combined, retracing our steps to the wood above, and returing for some distance by the woodland path we there notice a second descent in the cliff side. On reaching its base, the view that presents itself is one of solitary grandeur and striking contrast to the scene we have just left. Rising abruptly and closely outlined against the sky, massive rocks loom up to the height of sixty or seventy feet, the ledges projecting from their grim sides, resembling the terrets and battlements of some ancient fortress. At the bottom, walled in by the rocks which form a semi-circle around it, lies a dark, still lake that looks weird-like in its repose. To the right is a beautiful little island, and immediately beyond, closely adjoining the cliff, rises a wooded height, out of which from a picturesque hollow in the trees, dashing over boulders and tiny rocks, rushes Fairy Falls, so called from it being one of the outlets of Fairy River. The tall rocks, rising up like stately sentinels, cast their shadows into the dark waters below. The musical murmur of the waterfall is the only sound that breaks the stillness of the surroundings. The weird-like beauty of the place fascinates the beholder, holds him spellbound, and haunts his memory long after he has ceased to gaze on the beauties of Montmorenci.

ELIZABETH A. MCCAULEY.

TWENTY-FIVE SECONDS.

In That Time the Blood in a Man's Body Makes the Round Trip.

Medical workers have made many curious experiments, but none more wonderful than that by which they ascertained the exact time required for the blood to make one entire trip through the system, which all students of physiology know means a complete circulation through the lungs, veins, arteries and the general capillary arrangements. Professors Dalton, Hering, Poissenille, Mattucci and Blake have been the chief investigators in this line, the first named having become more eminent in this particular branch of research from having the experience of others to fortify himself with. All the old school anatomists believed that a considerable time elapsed from the time when the blood left the right side of the heart, traversed the whole system and then again returned to the starting point. Dalton has shown that the time is much shorter than was formerly generally supposed. The chief agent used in his experiments was a salt known to chemists as ferrocyanide of potassium, which can be readily detected in the blood on account of its chemical reactions. Prof. Dalton describes the operation in the following language: "Blood was drawn from the juglar vein on the opposite side, and the interval which elapsed before the appearance of the foreign salt in blood drawn from the second opening indicated the time required for the blood to pass from the point of injection through the vena cava to the heart, from the right side of the heart through the lungs to the left cavities, from the left ventrical through the carotid arterics and the capillary vessels of the head, and thence downward to the jugular vein on the opposite side. Dozens of carefully-tabulated tests of this somewhat extraordinary subject show that the blood of man makes a complete circulation every fifteen or twenty-five seconds, according to the physical conditions of the subject experimented upon.—Medical Record.

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Ar.	1124 P M	VICTORIA	Dp.	8.00 A M	Dp.	2.30 P M	1	Ar.	5.38 P M	78
"	1120 "	RUSSELLS	"	8.04 "	"	2.34 "	4	"	5.34 "	74
"	1210 "	ESQUIMALT	"	8.14 "	"	2.44 "	11	"	5.19 "	66
"	1140 A M	GOLDSTREAM	"	8.39 "	"	3.09 "	35	"	4.30 "	56
"	1110 "	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	"	9.03 "	"	3.33 "	55	"	4.24 "	50
"	1050 "	COBBLE HILL	"	9.24 "	"	3.54 "	64	"	4.14 "	47
"	1027 "	McPHERSON'S	"	9.37 "	"	4.07 "	72	"	3.59 "	39
"	1017 "	KOKSILAH	"	9.47 "	"	4.17 "	78	"	3.49 "	32
"	1013 "	DUNCANS	"	9.51 "	"	4.20 "	80	"	3.44 "	29
"	1000 "	SOMENOS	"	10.06 "	"	4.35 "	88	"	3.31 "	22
"	955 "	CHEMAINUS	"	10.20 "	"	4.49 "	95	"	3.15 "	15
"	915 "	OYSTER BAY SID'G	"	9.15 "	"	5.33 "	99	"	2.55 "	9
Dp.	838 "	NANAIMO	"	8.20 "	"	6.14 "	73	Dp.	2.14 "	
Ar.	820 "		Ar.	8.00 "	"	6.30 "	73	Ar.	1.50 "	
Dp.	810 "	WELLINGTON	Dp.	7.50 "	"	8.25		Dp.	1.30 "	

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10 15 am	Lv	28		Seattle	82	Lv	3 00 am
1 30 pm	Lv	72		Pt. Townsend	38	Lv	11 45 pm
4 30 pm	Ar	110		Victoria†	M1	Lv	8 30 pm

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6 00 pm	Lv	M1		Tacoma	132	Ar	4 30 pm
9 00 pm	Lv	28		Seattle	100	Lv	2 30 pm
12 15 am	Lv	72		Pt. Townsend	55	Lv	11 30 am
2 45 am	Lv	101		Anacortes	21	Lv	9 15 am
7 45 am	Ar	123		Fairhaven	3	Lv	8 00 am
6 10 am	Ar	131		Sehome	1	Lv	7 30 am
4 30 am	Ar	132		Whatcom	M1	Lv	6 00 am

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	Lv	M1				Ar	
11 00 pm	Lv	28		*Seattle	58	Ar	3 00 pm
12 30 am	Lv	39		Port Madison	47	Lv	2 10 pm
	Lv	45		Kingston	41	Lv	
3 00 am	Lv	49		Port Gamble	21	Lv	11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73		Port Ludlow	13	Lv	10 00 am
6 00 am	Ar	86	‖	Pt. Townsend	M1	Lv	8 00 am

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Empress of Japan..	Oct. 29, 1892	Nov. 13, "
Empress of China..	Nov. 23, "	Dec. 12, "
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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.

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NELSON NEWS NOTES.

Brief but Breezy Extracts from Kootenay's Leading Paper, the Miner.

Numerous snow slides in Slocan.

Nakusp sleigh road is progressing.

Five feet of snow on the Washington.

Kaslo road within two and a half miles of Bear Lake.

R. W. Rathbone has struck it rich on Fourteen Mile Creek.

The Madison group in the Slocan has been sold for $6000 cash.

Toad Mountain Mining Company will get to work in two or three weeks.

Mahon will work four men this winter on the Mountain Boomer, on Fourmile creek.

We hear that J. A. Kirke, of Kirke & Kitchie, whilst surveying in the Slocan, got his feet frozen.

The late manager of the Bank of British Columbia in Nelson has been committed for trial on a charge of embezzlement.

No meat in New Denver, no butter, no tobacco; pathetic letter from a man inspired by his last pipe. Supplies will be packed in via Slocan River.

The charter for the Kaslo-Slocan railway has passed into the hands of John Hendry, Alex. Ewen and D. T. Munn, all of New Westminster, where the offices of the company will, for the future, be.

Hugh Mann expects to get the Nakusp sleigh road through to the head of Slocan Lake by December 10th. The contractors for the Kaslo wagon road expect to have completed their work up to Bear Lake on the same date.

The C.P.R. has applied for a charter to connect Revelstoke with the C. & K. Railway, and build branches. We expect it will get the charter; but care should be taken that general powers are not granted which will interfere with other railways anxious to extend their lines.

An epidemic of a moderately mild and not at all deadly nature is now raging in our midst, the symptoms of which are a pain in the chest and throat. The following prescription has been recommended by one of our leading doctors: Rum, half a glass; lemon, one, sugar or honey, to taste; hot water, to make half a pint. To be applied internally as often as required, until the sufferer is relieved. We understand that within the past few days the number of cases has increased to an alarming extent.

From the Nelson Tribune.]

Supplies, such as powder, fuse, etc., for the work of improving the Columbia River, are now at Robson. As heretofore, Alexander Lindquist will be in charge of the work.

While acting as "bouncer" for a saloon at Kaslo, one night this week, George Henry Fisher, a local celebrity, broke Dick Hughes' leg.

M. D. Mahoney, of the Palace Hotel at Kaslo, is seriously thinking of quitting the hotel business and starting a hat store. Mike is a Democrat, and won 590 hats on Cleveland's election, to say nothing of $35 in cash from the good but foolish Republican that penned this paragraph.

If the merchants and business men of the lake country would only get together and organize a Board of Trade, more attention would be paid their demands and their interests would be better protected. Who will take the lead?

A queer idea as to what constitutes an insult to a lady must have had possession of a Kaslo man last week. While walking on the street with his wife, a well-known and respectable citizen, thinking he recognized the lady as an acquaintance, politely raised his hat while passing. For this act he was struck in the face by the irate husband. The following day Judge Sproat fined the assailant $20 and costs.

A letter from Mr. J. Burns appears in this issue of the Tribune, in which the Vancouver Board of Trade is handled without gloves. When the Board of Trade of an ambitious and growing city like Vancouver lends its aid to further the real estate speculations of men who are notoriously lacking in public spirit, it is time its actions and motives received merited criticism.

The development of the mines in West Kootenay will cause to be upbuilt towns and cities. The upbuilding of these towns and cities will attract men of different nationalities; men with diverse views on religions and governments. As long as these men obey the laws of this country they should all alike be welcomed and be allowed to strive to better their health and their financial condition. There will be rivalry between the towns—as there should be; but the people should not allow rivalry to develop into intolerance.

About thirty men are at work in Trail Creek district, and that number will probably be kept at work all winter. The wagon road up Sheep Creek from a point opposite Northport is completed, and supplies for the mines are now being hauled over it. Several interests in the camp have been acquired by D. C. Corbin, president of the Spokane & Northern Railway, his latest purchases being the Standard and Yellow Jacket from Charley Drouin, one of the discoverers of the Lucky Jim, a famed mine near Bear Lake in Kaslo-Slocan district. A. M. Esler, the well-known Montana mining man, recently paid the camp a visit, and is reported as willing to take up the bond he has on the Josie. Two different parties have contracts on the LeRoi; one for driving a tunnel, the other for sinking a shaft. The Center Star tunnel is in solid ore. Men are at work on the O. K., a gold proposition that is reported as looking well. Trail Creek will yet be heard from, and that, too, as a producer of the first rank.

To show the prodigality of the mining fraternity the following incident is given which recently happened in Kaslo. Jim Wardner and John King, two well known mining princes, met on Front street. One said to the other, "Where is there a good loating place in the town?" "There is none," said the other. "Well," said Mr. King, "There is a hotel over there that has no liquor license, let's go buy it." "Done," says Wardner, and they at once proceeded to the house in question. Finding the proprietor the question was asked, "How much do you want for this ranch?" "$5000," was the laconic reply. "We'll take it," chorused both gentlemen. John F. Ward of Nelson, happening to be in town and being an old friend of the parties, purchased an interest, proceeded to Nelson where a license was obtained instanter. On his return the hotel was opened and christened The Cœur d'Alene. Wine flowed like water the first evening, and the writer believes is still pouring in quite a healthy stream. Jim and John secured their loafing place, but they have plenty of company.

A Really First-Class Comedy.

Mr. Charles Dickson, who will appear here for the first time as a star at the Victoria theatre, producing "Incog" to-night and "A Paltry Million" on Saturday, began at the foot of the ladder, and has worked his way up to a star by inherent talent, and unremitting energy. In his methods critics say that though he possesses an individuality distinctively his own, he yet reminds one of Crane and the elder Sothern rolled in one. Mrs. Facheco's prominence, both in the social and literary world, enabled her to select whom she pleased to interpret "Incog," all the comedians being anxious to obtain it, but she selected Dickson without hesitation as best calculated to give the part the interpretation she desired, and the result has shown the great wisdom of her choice, for the play has carried everything before it wherever it has appeared. A word here is also due to the magnificent company which Mr. Dickson has succeeded in surrounding himself with. It is culled from the flower of the profession and to-day constitutes the model comedy company of America.

Meritorious but Unfortunate.

The best stock company ever seen in this city was the Carra Morris company lately at the Imperial Theatre. The wretched performances of former stock companies which have disgraced the boards in that theatre made it difficult, impossible in fact, for a really meritorious company like the Carra Morris to gain popular favor. Old theatre-goers who dropped in to see of what mettle the company was made were surprised and pleased to see the excellence of the caste. It is a theatrical company worthy of patonage, and should get it. Some of the members graduated in their profession in New York, one of them having played with Edwin Booth for years. They are now stranded and in sore straits. There is some talk of a benefit to help them out.

The Great Salvini.

Alexander Salvini, the greatest dramatic actor of the modern stage, will appear at the Victoria theatre on Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 12th and 13th. Arrangements have been completed with Mr. W. M. Wilkison, who directs his tour, whereby all the scenic and property effects used in the recent San Francisco engagement will be brought here complete. Dumas' familiar romance "The Three Guardsmen," and D'Ennery's grand, old, romantic drama "Don Cæsar de Bazan," the most popular features of his repertoire, will be presented. The supporting company includes some of the best actors on the American stage.

Dr. McSwain.

The numerous friends of Dr. McSwain, says the Vancouver World, will be pained to learn that he had to undergo another and a very critical operation. An abscess was discovered on one of his lungs and from it a quantity of matter was extracted. After the operation he became better, but recent advices from California are to the effect that he is not gaining strength, but is gradually becoming weaker. We doubt if any one now living has undergone so many painful operations with the physician's knife as has Dr. McSwain. He is indeed a living miracle in this respect.

Will Join the Going Party.

Captain J. E. Noel, a noted American engineer, is in the city for the purpose of joining the Canada Western survey party. The captain has lived in Tacoma for some time past. He was a school mate of Col. A. J. Kane at Annapolis and served through the war under Admiral Dahlgren. He was the only naval officer present at the battle of Gettysburg. He was later connected with the geodetic survey and was engaged at Nicaragua as an engineer on the canal. He left the navy in 1877 and was engaged as engineer with the Pennsylvania lines.

To Face Cold Charity Again.

The Bankburn sailors may soon again be thrown out to the cold charity of the world. There is a bill against them of over $400 at the Occidental Hotel, and proprietor Berryman says that he does not see his way to longer keep them. There are no prospects of their board being paid for.

Christian Endeavor Officers.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church elected officers last night as follows: President, F. W. Teague; Vice-President, Miss M. Wilson; Secretary, A. Hay; Treasurer, Miss M. Craig.

Introduced and Took Charge.

Miss McMillan, of Toronto, the new matron of the Jubilee Hospital, took charge yesterday. She was introduced to the hospital staff by President Davies.

Will Build a Schoolhouse.

A Hebrew schoolhouse will be built on the site adjoining the synagogue. Plans will be presented at next Sunday's meeting of the congregation.

Inspection and Parade.

Annual inspection garrison artillery by Lieut.-Col. Holmes to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon. Parade in review order, 2 o'clock.

The Cantata Repeated.

The cantata "Angel of the Harvest" was repeated last night in Pandora Avenue Methodist church. Attendance good.

Rev. Sylvanus Lane

Of the Cincinnati M. E. Conference, makes a good point when he says: "We have for years used Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family of five and find it fully equal to all that is claimed for it. Some people are greatly prejudiced against patent medicines, but how the patent can hurt a medicine and not a machine is a mystery of mysteries to me."

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills.

Hughes & O'Brien's stock of groceries, at No. 74 Yates street, are choice and fresh and everything guaranteed. *

Every household should use Findley & Des Brisay's soaps. *

Phœnix Lager Beer.

Notice.

Our manufacturing and repairing departments will be in full operation during the term of our auction sale the same as usual. Remember we are not going out of business, but have to raise an amount of money by January 1st. All work guaranteed. Jackson & Mylius. *

Speech and Reading.

Mrs. Spofford will speak on parliamentary usages and Mrs. McGregor will give a reading on temperance at the same meeting of the W.C.T.U., at the Refuge Home, Thursday afternoon next.

Elected Officers.

Officers Victoria-Columbia Lodge, A. F. & A.M: Arthur St. G. Flint, W.M.; B. S. Oddy, S.W.; A. L. Belyea, W. John Teague, P.M., treasurer, (re-elected); William Trickey, tyler, (re-elected).

Caned the President.

The Germania Club last night presented its president, Harry Weber, with a fine silver-headed cane at his home, 66 View street, as a birthday present.

For the Organ Fund.

St. John's Church entertainment last night. Large attendance. Good programme, and a very snug little sum to the organ fund.

The Nelson Tribune.

Nelson has a new paper, the Tribune, published by John Houston & Co., the first number of which made its appearance last week.

Good-Bye, Boys.

Triumph Lodge, Good Templars, gave several of the crew of the Warspite a farewell entertainment last night.

THE DOCTOR WAS CURED!

A few days ago one of Montreal's prominent physicians drove up to his residence feeling wearied and overworked. He had visited upwards of thirty patients living in various districts of the city, and now he heartily longed for a night of rest and quiet. A couple of hours after dinner he retired to rest, but soon found that he had caught cold. He was attacked with sore throat and commenced to cough. A wearisome and restless night was passed, and morning came finding the physician in a bad condition. The worthy doctor did not rely on his own skill to rid himself of trouble. He sent his coachman without delay to the nearest drug store for a bottle of Harvard Bronchial Syrup.

The doctor was aware of the superiority of Harvard Bronchial Syrup over all other cough remedies; he had used it before, and had seen it used elsewhere with great effect.

The favorite and efficacious cough mixture soon relieved the doctor, so that he was enabled to go on with his regular work; and on the evening of the same day that he commenced using Harvard Bronchial Syrup, he found himself as well as ever. It will do the same work for all who at this season are subject to coughs, colds and sore throat. It is folly to be without such a valuable remedy at a time when it is most needed.

Amusements.

For particulars and dates of amusements, see fourth page, column next editorial.

A full range of Crossley's renowned carpets and rugs now on view at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Go to Hughes & O'Brien for fresh groceries. *

Drink Victoria Lager.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION

WITHOUT RESERVE,

On Saturday, 3rd, at 2 p.m.,

At my Salesroom, opposite Driard Hotel.

1 Thoroughbred Running Horse,

JIM MURPHY,

Sire, Marmaduke; dam, April Fool; b. g., age 8 years.

1 Standard-bred Pacer,

GOLD DOLLAR,

Sire, Bacon, 6322; dam, Lady Hatch, Newton, Kansas; b.g., age 3 years. No mark.

1 Light Frazier Road or Track Cart, nearly new.

Also at the same time and place

THE CONTENTS OF A LIVERY STABLE

Consisting of: 1 single seated buggy, top and sides full leather; 1 phaeton with top, 2-seated Rockaway, top and sides full leather. All American build and in first-class order. 3 sets single harness, 2 sets double harness, 10 lap robes, and a number of A. 1 driving and riding horses suitable for ladies and gentlemen.

Terms at sale.

JAMES MORTIMER,
no28 5t Auctioneer.

JOHNSON & CO.

Will sell by Auction on

Wednesday Next, Dec. 7th,

At their Salesroom, 58 Broad Street,

1 MAGNIFICENT CABINET GRAND PIANO

Case by Bush & Gerts; value $700. Is the only piano imported with full iron frame, and is in competition with any instrument manufactured. The touch is perfect, tone pure, mellifluous and powerful, and for durability is unsurpassed. It is the first of the kind ever submitted to public auction.

Also at the same time and place a large collection of Merchandise, including beer, in barrel; tea, foreign fruits, cook and heating stoves, and furniture, one No. 5 Taylor safe, books, show cases, etc., and now on view.

☞ Sale to commence at 2 p.m.

Ours is the largest, most central and modern Auction Room in the city. No charge for storage. We sell on the regular terms; make immediate settlements; advance money on goods consigned or buy out and out. Sell anywhere in city or neighborhood, make valuations, etc.

D. JOHNSON,
de1 The Auctioneer.

FOR SALE.

ONE POOL TABLE, nearly new (5 ft. x 10 ft) by Brunswick, Balke & Co., with balls, cues and usual fittings complete. Can be seen by applying to the steward at the Victoria Club Fort street, Victoria. au22 tf

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THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite, especially for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal; makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Dec. 30.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

The Following is Published Pursuant to a Resolution of the Council.

The persons entitled to qualify as Electors are:—

1. Any male or female of the age of twenty-one years who is assessed for land or improvements within the City and who pays on or before the first day of December, 1892, all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her.

2. Any male or female of the full age of twenty-one years who resided in the city on or before the 5th day of December, 1891, who holds a license for and is carrying on business in the ward of the City in which he or she is registered as the holder of such trade license, the annual fee for which is not less than five dollars, and who has paid on or before the first day of December, 1892, the license fee up to and including the 31st day of December, 1892, and also all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her.

3. Any male or female being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years who has resided and been a householder in the City for the six months preceding the 7th November, 1892, and who pays a rental of not less than $60 per annum, and who pays on or before the first day of December, 1892, all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her, and who before the 1st day of December, 1892, enters with the Assessor his or her name as a voter, and who makes and personally delivers to the Assessor a statutory declaration in the form mentioned in Sub-section E of Section 37 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

The declaration is to be made and subscribed before a Judge, Magistrate, or Notary Public.

The Voters' List closes on the 5th of December, 1892.

No person can have his or her name twice entered on the Voters' List in one and the same ward.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's office,
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1892. no22

MUNICIPAL.

To Owners of Real Property

Tax Notices have this day been posted to 1 parties holding Real Property.

If not delivered at residence please call at Post Office for same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Victoria, Oct. 29th, 892.

To Rent.

ONE OF THE FINEST OFFICES IN THE CITY

Splendid location. On ground floor, Five Sisters Block. Large; well lighted by electricity; heated with steam. Apply at C. P. R. ticket office. oct12-1m

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LEGAL NOTICES.

The Creditors' Trusts Deeds Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that George T. Sheppard, of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, Merchant, has by deed dated and executed by both parties on the 16th day of November, 1892, assigned all his real and personal estate to Charles A. Godson, of the said city of Victoria, for the benefit of his creditors.

All persons having claims against the said Assignor are required to send them in on or before the 17th day of December, 1892, to the said Assignee or his Solicitors, with full particulars in writing signed by the party claiming.

And notice is hereby given that after the said date the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the creditors having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which the said Assignee shall then have had notice.

Dated at the City of Victoria, B.C., this 17th day of November, A.D. 1892.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
no17-1m. Solicitors for Assignee.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Douglas Ferris, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all claims against the estate of the above named deceased must be sent in to the undersigned, and all debts owing to the same estate must be paid to them before the 26th day of December, 1892.

F. G. RICHARDS, JR.
GEO. W. HAYNES,
no26-1m Trustees.

Estate of Wm. Elford.

All parties indebted to the estate of the late Wm. Elford, are requested to settle the same on or before the 10th of December next. Accounts then unpaid will be placed in the hands of a lawyer for collection. Parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send details of the same to the undersigned.

R. ELFORD.
Victoria, Nov. 9.—td

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for renewal of Hotel Dallas liquor license.

Nov. 11th, 1892.—1m WM. JENSEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, to be held on Wednesday, the 14th Day of December, 1892, for a renewal of my licence to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as THE WILSON Hotel, situate on Lot 421, Yates Street, in the City of Victoria.

Dated 4th November, 1892.

no7-1d WILLIAM KELDAY TULLOCH

NOTICE is hereby given that I will apply at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license of the Pacific Telegraph Hotel, to the New Telegraph Hotel, Store Street.

J. MERRIFIELD.
Victaria, Nov. 2, 1892.—1d

NOTICE is hereby given, that we, William Walker and T. Reinhardt, lately carrying on business under the firm name of Walker & Reinhardt, intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer and renewal of the license now held by us unto Ross J. Ferguson, to sell liquors in the premises known as the Janion Hotel, Store Street, in the City of Victoria.

(Signed) WALKER & REINHARDT,
per William Walker.
Dated November 9th, 1892.—1m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, Wednesday the 14th day of December next, for an hotel license to sell wine, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail, in the building known as Duck's Building, situate on the west side of Broad Street, between Johnson and Yates Streets, on Lots 159a and 160a, Block 2, in the City of Victoria, and containing upwards of thirty rooms.

Dated 11th November, 1892.

td M. C. BROWN.

NOTICE.

Capt. F. A. Dow will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the barkentine "Planter" while in this port.

Victoria, November 21st, 1892.—tf

Board of Health Notice.

The attention of MEDICAL MEN is directed to the provisions of Section 13 of the Consolidated Health By-Law, which reads as follows:

13. Every medical practitioner attending or visiting any person who is suffering from small-pox, cholera or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

The attention of KEEPERS OF HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES in the City directed to Section 12 of the Consolidate Health By-Law, which is as follows:

12. Whenever a person suffering from small-pox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, is an inmate of any hotel or boarding house, the keeper, or one of the keepers, of such hotel or boarding house shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 29

LEGAL NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership of Gustav Hauck and H. M. Tiffin, carrying on business at Ladner's Landing under the style of Hauck and Tiffin, has been dissolved by mutual consent, H. M. Tiffin retiring.

Gustav Hauck will carry on the business, pay all debts, and collect all outstandings of the late firm.

GUSTAV HAUCK.
H. M. TIFFIN.
Ladner's Landing, November 16th, 1892.—1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 141, 142 and 144, in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to William Parsons Sayward on the 21st day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 19th October 1892. oc21-3m

"Land Registry Act."

Section Fifteen (15), Range One East, South Saanich District, excepting three acres thereof as described in a conveyance dated the 16th day of January, 1873, and made between George Thomas, of the one part, and Alexander Caulfield Anderson and William Thomson, of the other part.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to George Thomas on the first day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 23rd November, 1892. n25-3m

The Creditors' Trusts Deeds Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that James Macaulay and Robert W. Higginbottom, both of the City of Victoria, Merchants, doing business under the name and style of "Macaclay & Higginbottom," have by deed dated the 1st day of November, 1892, and executed by the said James Macaulay and the said Robert W. Higginbottom, respectively, on the 2nd and 1st days of November, 1892, assigned all their real and personal estate, except as therein mentioned to Simon Amable D. Bertrand, of the City of Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba, Official Assignee, for the benefit of their creditors, which said deed was executed by the said Simon Amable D. Bertrand, on the 8th day of November, 1892.

All persons having claims against the said Assignors are required to send them in on or before the 15th day of December, 1892, to the said Assignee or his Solicitors, with full particulars in writing signed by the party claiming.

And notice is hereby given that after the said date the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the creditors, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which the said Assignee shall then have had notice.

Dated at the City of Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of November, 1892.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
no14-1m Solicitors for the Assignee.

Municipal Act, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria, British Columbia, at the next sitting of the Board, for a license to sell and supply beer, porter and wines with meals, and not otherwise, at the Balmoral Restaurant now occupied by me and situate in the Kirk Block, Douglas street, in the said city, and on town lot No. 404, block 14, in the said city.

FREDERICK WILLIAM GARLAND,
Victoria, B.C., November 12th, 1892.—1m

NOTICE is hereby given that we, William Shewan and Robert Menaugh intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at the next sitting thereof on the second Wednesday of December, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us for the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates Street, in the City of Victoria, to William John Hambly, and Frederick William Gilbert, both of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises bereinbefore mentioned.

Dated, Victoria, B.C., 1st November, 1892.

W. H. SHEWAN.
no2-1m ROBT. MENAUGH.

NOTICE.

The offices of Messrs. W. H. BAINBRIDGE & CO., the B. C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Co. the B. C. Agricultural Association and the Thunder Hill Mining Co., have been removed from the Jewell Block, Douglas Street, to No. 42 and 44 Government Street. se29-tf

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For Single Beds, 85c. each.

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Large Size, Extra Quality, $1.50 each.

Large Size, Chintz Patterns, Fine Quality, $1.75 each.

Sateen Covered, Large Size, from $2.25 to $4.50 each.

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From $3.00 a pair.

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From $2.50 a pair.

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Where's Your Overcoat?

Don't try to get on with one the moths have eaten, when

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To make you comfortable during the coming season.

You Need This Season

A regular North-Pole outfit, and Cameron can suit you

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THE SAMARITAN

Lying-In-Home,

NO. 11 RAE STREET.

TERMS:—Patients, previous to confinement, $3 per week. During confinement, including medical attendance and nursing, $10 per week. Patients, with good references, who may be unable to pay will be treated free of charge. For admission apply at the Home.

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Goods Imported from Japan by "S. S. Zambesi"

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Clearance Sale at The Stanley House

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CLEARANCE OF THE SEASON'S SURPLUS STOCK, NOW PROCEEDING.

Jackets at The Stanley House

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TREMENDOUS REDUCTIONS.

Mantles at The Stanley House

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NEWEST GOODS AT BEDROCK PRICES

Dress Goods at The Stanley House

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SEE OUR BARGAIN WINDOWS.

Costumes at The Stanley House

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LATEST DESIGNS AT PEOPLE'S PRICES.

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Bargains. See our Windows.

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72 FEET FRONTAGE ON DOUGLAS ST., CORNER OF FORT.

THE

Stanley House

GENERAL CASH DRY GOODS,

55, 57, 59 Douglas Street, Cor. of Fort Street.

W. S. HAMPSON

NITINAT INDIAN FIGHT.

Meagre Particulars of a Civil War Among the Indians of Nitinat.

Firearms Being Used by the Drink-Crazed Aborigines—Police Sent For.

The Nitinat Indians are at war among themselves. This news was received from the West Coast this morning from the C.P.R. telegraph station at Cape Beale. The telegraph wires were not in very good working order, so it was hard to obtain particulars.

The dispatch sent to the police stated that the Indians were fighting and shooting. Whiskey is credited with being the cause of the fight. It is said that large quantities of liquor have lately reached the West Coast Indian villages, going in by way of Cowichan Lake. The operator at Cape Beale wired this morning that nothing less than a man-of-war would quell the fight.

There are only 197 Indians at present at the Nitinat Indian village, but other tribes may be engaged in the fight. Mr. Guillot, Indian agent for the West Coast, is stationed at Alberni.

The operator did not know if any of the Indians had been killed or wounded, but at the time of sending the dispatch it was feared that blood would be shed.

The provincial police were this afternoon making arrangements to go to the scene of the trouble. A steamer will be chartered and about 20 men sworn in as special constables.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

Far West Lodge, Knights of Pythias, meets this evening.

The sum of $120,000 in taxes was paid in during the week.

The Uniform Rank, K. of P., drilled in the market hall last night.

Loyal Waverly Lodge, C.O.O.F., M.U., initiated a candidate last night.

The steamer City of Kingston will leave from the outer wharf to-night.

Eastern train late last night. The Islander did not wait. No eastern mail.

There was a magic lantern show at weekly concert at St. Mark's church yesterday. Good attendance.

Two of the condemned buildings on Johnson street were torn down yesterday. The third will be taken down to-day.

Famous Cambridge sausages, Bologna sausages, pork pies, bacon, ham and poultry, at Whitelaw & Co's., 72 Fort street.

A carload of cranberries, by the C.P.R. from New York, will be shipped to Seattle this evening on the City of Kingston.

Coffee Cultivation in Guatemala.

Extracts from a report by the British minister at Guatemala on the subject of coffee cultivation in that republic have been received by the Bureau of American Republics. "The minister says that the extraordinary growth of the coffee industry in Central America, and especially in the Republic of Guatemala, would seem worthy of special notice, and inasmuch as there are still thousands of acres of land lett suitable to the cultivation of the plant, it opens up an extensive and marketable field for foreign enterprise. The export of coffee from Guatemala in 1891 amounted to 52,197,951 pounds, valued roughly at about $12,000,000, and this year's crop will, it is believed, be considerably in excess of that of 1891."

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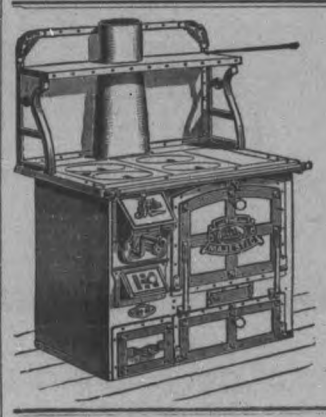

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